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REFUGEES TAKEN ON AMERICAN GUNBOATS.

Fletcher Reports No Change in Position of Combatants.

Cruiser Raleigh Ordered from San Francisco to Mazatlan.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—Wireless despatches from Rear Admiral Fletcher at Tampico, on board United States ship Tacoma, sent at 4 p. m. yesterday, say the federal gunboat Bravo was then shelling the Constitutionalists' position; that there was no change in the relative position of the combatants, and that United States ship Wheeling was in the river close to the fighting. The federal garrison was estimated at 3,000, while the Constitutionalists claimed about 6,000.

Rear Admiral Fletcher also reported that 150 refugees were on American gunboats, 150 on British steamer Logician, 350 on the Kronprinzessin Cecilie, a German vessel, and 500 in the buildings ashore in the neutral zone.

Cruiser Raleigh has been ordered from San Francisco to Mazatlan, on the Pacific side.

DENIED BY FEDERALS.

Reports Reach Mexico City That Rebels Have Taken Tampico.

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 12.—Reports have reached here, said to be on good authority, to the effect that Tampico has been taken by the rebels. The federal war office and ministry of the interior deny the truth of the report.

Tampico was said late last night to be still in the hands of the federal troops. The telegraph line to San Luis Potosi had been re-opened, after having been interrupted since the beginning of the fighting.

The war minister, General Aureliano Blanquet, appeared today to regard the chances of the rebels taking Tampico as remote.

REBELS OUTSIDE THE VILLAGE.

Situation at Ojinaga One of Waiting, in Anticipation of Attack.

PRESIDIO, Texas, Dec. 12.—The situation at Ojinaga, Mexico, where the federal troops have concentrated, was today one of waiting in anticipation of a rebel attack. Rebels were reported to be increasing in number outside the village, but were believed to be waiting for re-inforcements, which General Francisco Villa has sent from Chihuahua. The federals probably will be under siege, but will have the advantage of being able to get provisions and clothing from the United States side.

Ojinaga has suddenly grown in population from a few hundred to 6,000 or 7,000. The federal soldiers and civilian refugees are crowded into a few adobe houses. General Salvador Mercido's headquarters is marked by a dry goods box.

Many temporary stores have been erected in Presidio to meet the demand for provisions. All the goods have to be hauled from Marfa, Texas, the nearest railroad station.

ATTEMPT TO EXTRADITE HIM.

Mexican Bull Fighter Indicted for Conspiring to Violate Laws.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 12.—Vincente Seguera, the Mexican millionaire and bull fighter, recently reported to have been captured by federals in the Mexican state of Hidalgo, is under indictment here for conspiring to violate the neutrality laws, and an attempt will be made to have him extradicted. United States Attorney Walter Gidon today said he would advise the Department of Justice of the desire for his extradiction for trial here. Seguera and Juan Compledo were indicted here last spring in connection with a shipment of arms valued at 170,000

SHOOP'S REMOVAL IMPOSSIBLE.

Plans Continue for Protest Against Not Re-electing Mrs. Young.

CHICAGO, Dec. 12.—Regardless of the announcement that Mrs. Ella Flagg Young has accepted the position of educational editor of a Chicago morning newspaper, club women and teachers today continued their plans for a mass meeting tomorrow to protest the action of the board of education in not re-electing Mrs. Young superintendent of the public schools. The women said their aim is the removal of the members of the board of education who voted against Mrs. Young.

Discussing the proposed campaign of women to obtain the resignation of the new superintendent John D. Shoop and her re-instatement as superintendent, Mrs. Young said:

"As I see it what the women want to do is impossible. Under the pension law it would not be possible to remove Mr. Shoop. He is legally elected and cannot be removed without trial for just cause. I appreciate the sympathy of the people of Chicago and of my other friends more than I can express."

GERMAN MINISTERS OBJECT.

Bill Withdrawn for Appropriation for Representation at San Francisco

BERLIN, Dec 12.—It was decided today to withdraw the bill for the appropriation of $500,000 for the purpose of arranging German representation at the Panama-Pacific exposition at San Francisco. This step was taken on account of the strong objections raised by several state ministers.

STEAMERS ARRIVED.

New York, Dec. 12, Mauretania from Liverpool.

New York, Dec 12, Principe Di Piemonte from Naples.

New York Dec. 12, Russia from Libau via Halifax.

SMITH'S STORY OF THE SHOOTING PUT IN.

Told at Police Station and Claims Defendant Was Assaulted.

Captain Northup and Inspector Tobin Testify to Securing Statement.

[Special despatch to The News.]

PROVIDENCE, Dec. 12.—Captain William J. T. Northup of the Newport police was the principal witness in the Smith murder trial this morning in the superior court, before Judge Doran. He testified that Smith made a statement of his connection with the affair at Easton's beach, in the captain's office at 2 o'clock on the morning of July 5, shortly after the shooting. The statement is as follows:

"I and Charlie Campbell went to the beach, going in by the entrance where the soda is sold. Went to the end of the board walk, then came back to the roller coaster, then came up to the entrance to go away. We were bumped into by two sailors. One of them said: 'What is the matter with you, you black —— ——.' They hit Charlie over the eye. I heard some one say: 'Put your cane down.' One of them struck me. Then both of them double-banked me. I ran out on the beach. I did not see Charlie after that.

"Two other sailors joined them. I took out my revolver and fired six shots at them. It was .32 short. The revolver belonged to my father. I had taken it from the house. Before I fired at the sailors they threw bricks at me. I emptied the revolver. I put it in my inside pocket and ran to get away.

"I ran under the board walk and dropped the revolver in getting over the cross ties. I was tripped by some one, then an officer came and the crowd jumped onto me."

Captain Northup testified that Smith first told his story to Inspector Tobin, and at the latter's request it was repeated to the captain, who wrote it out. It was then read to Smith as it had been written, and the latter said it was all right. There were present in the room in addition to Captain Northup and Smith, Mayor MacLeod, Inspector Tobin and Sergeant James J. Leary.

Immediately following Captain Northup Inspector Tobin of the Newport police force took the stand and substantiated the story.

At the opening of the session this morning James T. O'Connell, who testified Thursday afternoon, was cross-examined by Mr. Mitchell, of counsel for the defendant.

John H. Nolan, one of the coast guard at the beach, was the next witness, giving his version of the affair and his estimate of the size of the crowd.

Then came Captain Northup and Inspector Tobin.

William R. Carry, Ralph J. O'Connell and James T. O'Connell were the witnesses who testified yesterday afternoon against the prisoner. The last-named was on the stand when the court adjourned at 4:35.

All three witnesses told of the excitement which prevailed at the beach on the night in question. Their testimony as to the general facts varied little from each other or from the stories told by preceding witnesses. For the most part their evidence was confined to a narrative of the trouble, the course of the fleeing negro, the distance between the latter and the crowd when he fired his revolver, and the number of persons who made up the crowd which pursued Smith before and after the shooting.

SEIZURES AT BELFAST.

Rifles Taken from Freight Steamers Arriving from Germany.

BELFAST, Ireland, Dec. 12.—Customs officers today seized here a consignment of 200 rifles which arrived on board a freight steamer from Germany. This was one of the largest seizures since the issue of the proclamation against the importation of arms and ammunition into Ireland. Captures have been made daily, but usually in small lots. Most of the rifles are of patterns which have been discarded by the European armies.

BULLETS IN ALL DIRECTIONS.

Trouble Between Two Gangs Near Madison Square Garden.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—Fifty shots were fired this morning near the Fourth Avenue entrance of Madison Square Garden in a battle between two gangs that have infested the garden during the six-day bicycle race. A Madison Avenue street car was commandeered by one element as a barricade, while bullets whistled in all directions. Passengers threw themselves face downward on the floor. The police were prompt in reaching the scene, but the combatants jumped into automobiles and escaped. So far as is known, no one was hurt, a remarkable fact in view of the promiscuous shooting. It is said that the battle started in a row over the right of rival leaders to furnish "strong arm" men for special police work in the garden.

WILSON'S COLD IMPROVED.

President Anxious to Attend Gridion Club Saturday Night.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—President Wilson's cold was improved today, but he was ordered by his physician to remain in bed. The President wants to attend the Gridion Club dinner tomorrow night, to fulfill a promise of long standing, but there was doubt whether his physician would permit him to go out doors before Monday, at the earliest. Dr. Grayson is determined to have the President entirely free from the cold, that has been hanging on for a week, before his risking exposure again in the cold air.

VERMONT LIMPING TO HAMPTON ROADS.

Starboard Main Shaft Broken and Compartments Flooded.

Rear Admiral Badger Says There is No Cause for Alarm.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—With her starboard main shaft broken and several of her compartments flooded, battleship Vermont is limping toward Hampton Roads on her return from the Mediterranean cruise under convoy of battleship Delaware and colliers Orion and Jason. The accident occurred at 3:45 aa. m., yesterday, and at 8 o'clock last night the Vermont was 1,200 miles from Hampton Roads and 600 miles from Bermuda.

A radiogram to the Navy Department from Rear Admiral Badger, commander-in-chief of the Atlantic fleet, describing the accident said there was no cause for alarm. The Vermont is proceeding to Hampton Roads under her port engine, making eight knots, in a comparatively smooth sea. Admiral Badger says the skin of the ship and the propeller strut were examined by a diver and appeared uninjured. Neither the shafting nor the propeller was lost. The Vermont and her convoys should arrive at Hampton Roads December 17 or 18.

Battleships Wyoming, Arkansas, Florida and Utah of the returning Mediterranean squadron are continuing toward New York, where they are expected to arrive next Monday. The Connecticut, Kansas and Ohio are proceeding toward Guantanamo en route to Mexican waters.

Mechanical experts at the Navy Department believe the Vermont's stern tube shaft is broken, and injury must also have been done to the bulkhead, if water flooded the compartments.

OFF SOUTH OF NEWFOUNDLAND.

American Fleet Returning from Abroad Reports Perfect Weather.

ON BOARD United States Battleship Wyoming, by wireless telegraph to Siasconset, Mass., Dec. 12.—The American warships returning from their visit to European ports were off the south of Newfoundland at 8 o'clock last night, at which hour they were 1,030 miles from New York. Perfect weather prevailed.

JONES BILL INTRODUCED.

Dry Dock at Puget Sound to Cost $3,000,000 Proposed.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—A dry dock at the Puget Sound navy yard, to cost $3,000,000, was proposed by a bill introduced today by Senator Jones. It provides for a dock at least 1,000 feet long, "to accommodate the largest battleships."

MONA LISA FOUND.

Da Vinci's Masterpiece, Stolen in 1911, Discovered in Florence.

FLORENCE, Italy, Dec. 12.—Leonardo Da Vinci's masterpiece "Mona Lisa", or as it is popularly known "La Joconde", the mysterious disappearance of which, from the Louvre in August, 1911, threw the art world in consternation, was found today in Florence. The man who stole it was arrested. He is an Italian.

FORCED DOWN TO 66⅝.

New Haven Stock Again Reaches a New Low Record.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—The shares of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Co., reached a new low record on the Stock Exchange today. Liquidation forced the price down to 66⅝ shortly before 1 o'clock. The previous low record was 67⅞.

EFFICIENCY OF NAVY HURT.

Bill Introduced to Abolish So-Called Plucking Board.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—To abolish the so-called plucking board, which each year arbitrarily puts a certain number of naval officers on the retired list. Representatives Tribble of Georgia today introduced a bill. He declared the board was crippling the efficiency of the navy by taking efficient officers from an active list.

MARSHALL BACK IN FALL RIVER.

Not Wishing to Go to White Plains, Walks Away from Station.

FALL RIVER, Mass., Dec. 12.—Robert Marshall, brother of James Marshall, the millionaire hat manufacturer who turned up last night, after mysteriously disappearing from two companions at the Grand Central Station, New York, Tuesday, authorized the following statement today concerning his brother's disappearance:

"Brother James did not want to go to White Plains, and while standing in the Grand Central Station Tuesday afternoon he concluded that he would just 'walk off.' He visited several business houses in New York. We know this, because we heard from them to that effect. Yesterday my brother decided that he would come home and left New York on the 3 o'clock train. His brother John was also in New York and also concluded that he would take the 3 o'clock train. He did not know that James was on board. John walked into the dining car and to his surprise found his brother at a table. He then returned with him to this city. He is somewhat nervous and depressed, but there is nothing alarming about his condition. That is all the family cares to say."

STEAMER REPORTED.

SIASCONSET, Mass., Dec. 12.—Manuel Calvo, from Cadiz for New York, 230 miles east of Sandy Hook at noon will dock 10:30 a. m. Saturday.

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Winter Woolens, Men's Wear.

Over 233 Thames St.
Phone 9929.

Special Bargains.

Fowls 20c lb
Ducks 20c lb
Roasting Chickens 22c lb
Loin Pork 14c lb
Fresh Shoulders 16c lb
Legs Mutton 15c lb
Potatoes 85c bu
Butter 3 lbs for $1.00

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Hand Bags,
Manicure Sets,
Traveling Sets,
Bill Books,
Card Cases, etc.
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Special Bargains for Remainder of Week.

Fancy Western Turkeys, per lb 30c
Legs Mutton, per lb . 15c
4 pound Fowl, per lb . 22c
Fresh Shoulder Hams, per lb 15c
Rib Mutton Chops, per lb 15c
Island Sausage Meat, per lb 20c
Extra Large Grape Fruit 3 for 25c or 90c per doz
Juicy Oranges, per doz . 18c
Mushrooms, per qt. . 50c
Island Broiling and Roasting Chickens.

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IN THE NICK OF TIME.

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—OF—

FURS.

Five thousand dollars worth consigned to us to sell before Christmas.

One of the largest and most reliable fur manufacturers of New York City, owing to the continued mild weather, has consigned to us $5,000 worth of furs to dispose of before Christmas and at prices shorn of all manufacturing profit. As consigned furs are always of the choicest quality and being consigned to us we can afford to sell them at a small margin of profit, the buying public of Newport will have a chance to buy Furs before Christmas at prices usually prevailing in March. This consignment consists of

COATS,
MATCHED SETS,
SEPARATE MUFFS
—AND—
SEPARATE NECK SCARFS

In all the leading styles of furs of medium and high grade.

The Hess Co.'s usual guarantee goes with every piece sold. As cold weather is sure to come, this is an unusual opportunity to procure furs before Christmas at a discount of fully 33 per cent.

Sale begins Wednesday, 10 A. M.

The Hess Co.

AFTER FOURTEEN MONTHS.

Letters of Proposal and Acceptance Long Delayed in Transmission.

Harry T. Plunkett of San Francisco, a civil engineer, has started for Topeka, Ks., to claim a bride whose letter of acceptance which was written 14 months ago was only received by him an hour before the departure of a train for the East.

Two years ago Plunkett met Miss Ruth Forrestt at Topeka and fell in love with her. Soon afterward the young woman left for a tour of the world. Having delayed asking Miss Forrestt to be his wife, Plunkett finally proposed by letter. He afterward went to the Orient where he inspected oil properties in Korea and Manchuria.

Meanwhile Miss Forrestt continued her trip. The letter of proposal followed her from one country to another but did not reach her until she returned home When she finally received the letter the envelope had been addressed in 16 different languages.

Miss Forrestt replied, accepting This letter crossed the Pacific six times, and made numerous trips up and down the Pacific coast. Plunkett arrived here yesterday and received Miss Forrestt's letter.

Plunkett had an hour to catch a fast east-bound train. Before starting, however, he telegraphed the young woman that he was on his way.

HOME FOR THE RED CROSS.

Money Secured for Memorial to Honor Women of the Civil War.

Announcement was made by President Wilson, presiding at the ninth annual meeting of the American National Red Cross in Washington, that the $300,000 necessary to complete the subscription fund and make available the $400,000 appropriated by Congress for the erection of a memorial building in honor of the women of the Civil war, for use as a headquarters for the Red Cross, has been subscribed by John D. Rockefeller, Mrs. Russell Sage, Mrs. E. H. Harriman and James A. Scrymser. This assures the early erection of the proposed magnificent memorial at the national capital A number of contributions have also been made to furnish the building, which will be one of the finest in the United States.

President Wilson also announced that Jacob H. Schiff of New York had made a special endowment of $100,000 the income to be used for the town and country nursing service of the Red Cross, and the Mrs. Whitelaw Reid, chairman of the committee on this service had offered to contribute $2,500 annually to the same fund.

THE FRAM SAILS MONDAY.

Passage of Canal Impossible, Must Take Long Route.

The date set for the departure of the Arctic exploration ship Fram for San Francisco has been set for Monday next. The Fram will go by way of the Strait of Magellan. The steamer has been waiting at Colon since October 3 for passage through the Panama canal but as this at the present time is impossible it is deemed advisable to take the long route. If the Fram is delayed too long in reaching San Francisco, it would mean a year lost for Captain Amundsen's Polar expedition, as the vessel should enter the ice not later than autumn, 1914. She must refit and take on stores at San Francisco before sailing north.

FORT ADAMS WINS FROM MACHINISTS.

The Fort Adams bowling team won two of three strings from the Torpedo Station Machinists Thursday evening. The soldiers took the first and second strings by 39 and 41, and the Machinists the third by a margin of 10 pins. The scores were as follows:

Fort Adams.

Bohannon	92	85	80	257
Ashley	75	80	83	238
Alger	87	89	99	275
Kottheff	96	84	85	267
Neill	77	85	67	229
	427	423	399	1249

Torpedo Station Machinists.

Hamilton	80	78	86	244
Johnston	63	76	80	219
Rogers	86	67	87	240
Fitzsimmons	78	79	75	232
White	81	82	81	244
	388	382	409	1179

DRUGGISTS.

Moth Itch LOTION

—FOR—

Moth Itch, Insect Bites, Poison Ivy, Rash

And other inflamed and irritated conditions of the skin as

Hives, Heat Rash, Sunburn, etc.

Twenty-Five Cents the Bottle

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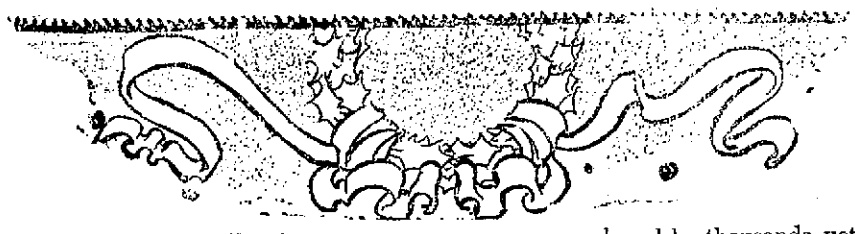


Not in a decade has furniture been so popular for Christmas giving, and never have cunning minds and skillful hands combined to produce remembrances so worthy the day and the deed. The practical and useful unite with the ornamental to wholly satisfy the holiday desire for "something that will last a lifetime". It is the ideal gift.

Guided by the master-hand of experience we have chosen the great holiday stocks of furniture with infinite care. They are superior from every viewpoint. The suggestions are numbered by thousands yet each will fulfil a special purpose in the home. The number of small and inexpensive pieces is extremely large. In the Spirit of Christmas, "Welcome"!

SURPRISE EVEN THE TOTS XMAS MORNING.

Give a little rocking chair or a folding table for the "play house" tea—a swinging book rack in Mission style. Or—choose from the following:

A Little Desk
For the little chap, with flat top and lid that raises, with blackboard underneath, and a place under that to keep all sorts of books, pencils and toys in. $1.25

A Big Desk
For the youngster just beginning to feel his oats, with roll top and all sorts of drawers and pigeonholes—a regular business affair. $10.00

Clock for Her Room.
Designed especially for the little miss—mahogany finished case with illustration of "Jack and Jill" or "Little Miss Muffet" or "Tom the Piper's Son" adorning its face; perfect timekeepers. $2.90

A Solid Mahogany Bed
"Four-poster" at that, just like the $75.00 kind that the big folks use; but just big enough for her big doll—my, wouldn't her eyes dance. $3.50

A Toilet Set.
All her own for her own little room—complete in every detail—bowl, pitcher, toilet jar and all, with quaint little Dutch figures painted here and there on every piece. $7.50

A Morris Char
Just like father's; solid oak, with back that adjusts, and with reversible velour cushions. $4.00

A FEW PRACTICAL SUGGESTIONS FOR THE HOME.

Why not give something that will bring greater happiness to ALL the family on Christmas day? Read the list below—it will help you to a speedy solution of the problem. The ideas are novel and new and for the warranted quality they are extremely low priced.

A Dinner Set.
Here's the limit. Nothing in the world you could send home for Christmas day would give such Christmas cheer. You'd christen it at Christmas dinner and you wouldn't forget that dinner to the longest day you live.
Haviland China? Yes, and the best there is in the world, at $25.00
Or English Porcelain as low as $9.50

Some New Pieces for the Dining Room.

A China Closet
For mother or sister, and a fine present 'twould make, too. Give her a jolly surprise. You'll never forget the hug she'll give you.
A beauty in polished quartered oak with bent glass ends costs but $16.00
Or a fine round top table at $11.00

A Bookcase
For the new Christmas books that come trooping into the home on Christmas day, for the old books that have lain around for want of a place to take them.
Christmas cheer for mother, Christmas cheer for sister—for the whole family in fact—and with a usefulness that's already begun and will be lifelong. From $6.75

GIVE HER SOMETHING FOR THE CHAMBER.

An inexpensive little side table for her knicknacks will be acceptable. Or a low cost, yet artistic, matting covered linen chest will please her.

A Dressing Table.
A Christmas gift that every miss looks for from the time she begins to think of being a young lady. There's a heap of Christmas happiness among these dainty empire effects in bird's eye, mahogany and oak, each with its toilet mirror and drawer, from $10.00

A Slipper Chair,
For the bedroom built low to avoid the long uncomfortable stoop in buttoning or unfastening the shoes. Comfortable to sit in, too, and so quaint and artistic in appearance, from $4.75

A Writing Desk.
There's always a 'Merry Christmas in a writing desk; such a useful gift, too. For prospective housekeepers nothing in the world could be better selected. Santa Claus has a wonderfully pretty lot here this year. More than 40 styles, from $7.50

A Desk Chair.
The proper thing to go with the desk she has or the desk she's going to have. They're built for the purpose; just the right height, just the right shape to be comfortable and convenient. One of these would simply cap the climax, from $3.25

THESE NOVEL PIECES FOR THE DEN.

A hundred and one novelties in the ever popular and always good Mission style in weathered oak are ready. Here are some splendid holiday hints.

Mission Smoking Stands with Ash Receiver and Cigar Holder $2.00
Mission Scrap Baskets $1.10
Mission Screens for fireplace with painted panels $1.00
Mission Wall Book-racks $1.25
Mission Sectional Bookcases $2.50
Mission Telephone Stands $5.75
Mission Cellarettes $7.00
Mission Sets complete, Desk Chair and Scrap Basket $11.00
Mission Library Tables with magazine shelves on either end $7.50
Mission Arm Chair and Rocker to match $9.00
Mission Couches, upholstered with full spring, Spanish fabricord cushions $24.00

Gift Hints That Will Appeal to Him.

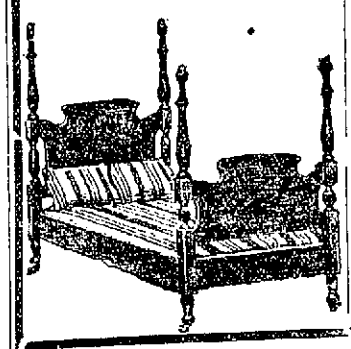
A handsome Wardrobe in golden oak for his clothes—or a Writing Desk with ample space for his papers. An inexpensive Easy Chair will keep him home o'nights.

A Blacking Case.
Wouldn't that please brother or father though? Full equipment, compact and useful as can be. $1 60

A Smoking Cabinet,
With a place for everything and all under look and key. Wouldn't father or big brother just tumble over himself at such a gift, from $3.75

A Clothes Tree.
How he needs it. He'd remember you night and morning as long as he lived. Such a practical gift and so inexpensive, from 85c

A MorrisChair
Ever hear father remark how comfortable so-and-so's was? What more of a hint do you need? 30 of them here: one in golden oak with imitation leather cushions, complete $7.50



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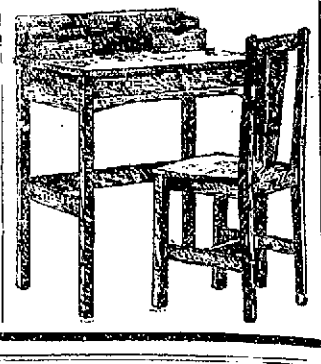

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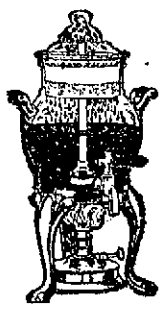

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MENU FOR SATURDAY.

Serve a Good Brown Sauce With Liver Timbales—Split Pea Soup.

Breakfast
Fruit
Cereal and Cream
Fried Mush Rolls Coffee

Lunch
Liver Timbales
Layer Cake Chocolate

Dinner
Split Pea Soup
Broiled Steak Sauce Bearnaise
Mashed Potatoes Browned Turnips
Celery Salad
Wafers Cheese
Apple Fritters
Coffee

Liver Timbales

Place one fresh lamb's liver (or one pound and a half of calf's liver) in a saucepan, add one slice of onion, one half of a bay leaf, one teaspoonful of salt and a dozen peppercorns; pour over sufficient boiling water to cover and simmer slowly until tender. Let stand until cold, take out the meat, discard tubes and gristle and put through the food chopper. Measure and to two solid cupfuls add one cupful of fresh bread crumbs soked in milk or chicken stock, a high seasoning of salt and pepper, ten drops of onion juice, two tablespoonfuls of melted butter, two tablespoonfuls of finely chopped mushrooms and one teaspoonful of finely chopped parsley. Fill well buttered timbale molds, stand in a pan of hot water and cook in a moderate oven until firm in the centre. Serve with a good brown sauce to which may be added chopped olives and mushrooms.

Split Pea Soup.

When cooking corned beef throw off the first water when it reaches the boiling point. Cover with fresh, boiling water and simmer gently until tender. To the pot liquor, when freed from fat and strained, add enough more water to reduce the saltiness. Use with split peas which have been washed and soaked over night, adding sufficient to make a thick soup. A chopped onion and a little carrot are good additions.

MENU FOR SUNDAY.

Corn Chowder—Cranberry Roly Poly With Any Sweet Soft Sauce.

Breakfast
Fruit
Liver and Bacon Scalloped Potatoes
Gems Coffee

Dinner
Corn Showder
Stuffed Pork Tenderloins
Apple Sauce Brown Gravy
Mashed Potatoes Cauliflower
Lettuce Mayonnaise
Cranberry Roly Poly
Coffee

Supper
Egg Salad
Canned Fruit Chocolate Cake
Coffee

Corn Chowder

Open a can of corn in the morning. Put through the chopper, then let stand to aerate until needed. Chop sufficient salt pork to make two generous tablespoonfuls; add an equal quantity of finely chopped onion, put the two in a saucepan and cook slowly together until the pork scraps are crisp and the onion beginning to color; add a pint of boiling water and simmer for ten minutes, then strain over the corn. Add to the latter one quart of diced raw parboiled potatoes, put over the fire and cook slowly until the potatoes are tender but unbroken. Stir in salt and black pepper to season, add one pint of milk which has been thickened with one tablespoonful of flour wet with cold milk. Drop in a small spoonful of butter cut in bits, and boil up once; add a pint of broken crackers and dish immediately.

Cranberry Roly Poly.

Make a rich biscuit crust, using two large tablespoonfuls of butter, a half teaspoonful of salt, a tablespoonful of sugar and two level teaspoonfuls of baking powder to a pint of flour, mixing to a soft dough with sweet milk. Roll out two thirds of an inch thick cover with a layer of the chopped berries, sprinkle with sugar, roll up, pinch the ends, lay on a buttered plate and steam 40 minutes. Serve with any sweet, soft sauce.

BEEF AND PORK LOWER.

Prices of Meat Decrease Twenty Per Cent During the Last Year.

[New York Evening World]

The cost of living is trending downward. Anxious heads of large families, persons who put up the coin for groceries and meat, men who have been frightened by the near approach of Christmas with its consequent outlay, can breathe easily once more, for actual figures shown in the butcher shops and meat markets of New York city indicate that the cost of meats has decreased at least 20 per cent in the last year.

The drop in the cost of meat has been so gradual during the twelvemonth, though, that the aggregate amount has not been appreciated by housewives of the city. But, at the present time, staple cuts of beef and pork are costing from three to seven cents less per pound than was the case in December, 1912.

First news of the decrease came from General Manager Howe of Armour & Co. in Omaha, who declared that if the consumer was paying as much this year as last for beef ribs and loins the retailer was taking an extra profit of about 25 per cent, as the wholesale cost of beef and pork has been decreased that much within the year.

An investigation at several of the city markets showed that No. 1 ribs of beef sold for 30 cents in 1912, while they are now selling for 25 cents. The wholesale price at present is 18 cents.

No. 1 loins sold for 33 and 35 cents in 1912, while they are now selling for 25 and 28 cents per pound. The wholesale price is 23½ cents.

Pork chops sold for 25 cents last year, while they are selling for 22 cents at present.

Other reductions are: Lamb chops, from 28 cents to 25 cents; round steak, 30 cents to 25 cents; loin of lamb, 25 cents to 20 cents; sausage, 25 cents to 20 cents; bacon, 25 cents to 20 cents, and pork tenderloins from 38 cents to 35 cents.

Meat retailers in this city cannot account for the decrease in price since 1912. They declare, however, that the shipment of meat from South America and the enforcement of the new tariff may have much to do with it.

"FAMOUS FRONTIERSMEN."

Short Sketches of Adventurous Scouts Who Lived in Pioneer Times.

Boys who have enjoyed "Famous Cavalry Leaders," "Famous Indian Chiefs" and other books by Charles H. L. Johnston will be pleased with his latest volume, "Famous Frontiersmen." Short sketches are given of these brave and hardy heroes who lived in the stirring pioneer days. Their lives were full of adventures, with death often staring them in the face, but they were not daunted by the dangers which confronted them; rather were they spurred on by perils and hardships. The book is dedicated to the Boy Scouts of the World: What better Christmas gift could be given a Scout than this narrative of real scouts and trappers.

Each chapter deals with some hero of the border, relating the circumstances of his life, the thrilling events and the dangerous episodes through which he has passed. These frontiersmen include Daniel Morgan, the famous Virginian rifleman; James Harrod, whose fate was never known. Robert McLellan, a plucky trader; John Slover, kidnapped and brought up by the Miamis and whose escape from torture and almost certain death was one of the most extraordinary experiences of those early times; Lewis Wetzel, an implacable enemy to the Indian; Samuel Colter, whose wonderful race for his life is a thrilling recital; Captain Jack Hays and "Big Foot" Wallace, well known Texas rangers; Uncle Job Witherspoon, who outwitted the Blackfeet; Jim Bridger, who although an intrepid Indian fighter, married a Blackfoot maiden, to whom he always remained true, and "Old Bill" Williams, who roamed the prairies alone and was described by the Indians as "Always by himself. He like the eagle in the heavens or the panther in the mountains. He one strange man."

There are nearly a score of illustrations and the book is published by L. C. Page & Co.

PERSONALS.

....Chief Justice White is confined to his home with a cold. For two days he has had difficulty in making himself heard from the bench on account of hoarseness. Justice Lurton is also absent from the court, suffering from a cold. Neither is seriously ill.

....When the body of Boni Dazinsky, buried in a Baltimore cemetery 11 years ago, was exhumed it was found to be petrified. Five men used a block and tackle to get the coffin from the grave. The body weighed between 600 and 700 pounds. Dazinsky's features were perfectly preserved, the moustache and hair, the clothes and the two rings on his fingers being in the same condition, apparently, as when the man was clothed for burial.

....President Wilson is receiving the commendation of the feminine part of the national capital for a little act of gallantry in Rock Creek Park, when he found little Ruth Donaldson had been thrown from her horse. When the President stopped he helped the little girl to her feet and brushed her clothing. She assured him that she was unhurt but exclaimed, "Where's my back comb I wonder?" She did not know it at the time, but it was the President of the United States who obediently searched the high grasses for several minutes on bended knees and finally restored the all-important tortoise shell.

NEWPORT PROBATE NOTICES.

ADMINISTRATION NOTICE.

The undersigned hereby gives notice that she has been appointed by the Probate Court of the City of Newport, Administrator of the estate of **Reville C. Hempstead** late of said Newport, deceased, and has given bond according to law.

All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to file the same in the office of the clerk of said court within six months from the date of the first advertisement hereof.

Margaret F. Hempstead.
Newport, December 5th, 1913.

ADMINISTRATION NOTICE.

The undersigned, Executor of the Last Will and Testament of **Katherine L. Curtis** late of the City of Newport, deceased, which Will has been admitted to probate by the Probate Court of the City of Newport, hereby gives notice that he has accepted said trust and has given bond according to law.

All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to file the same in the office of the clerk of said court within six months from the date of the first advertisement hereof.

Sheldon H. Curtis.
Newport, November 28th, 1913.

ADMINISTRATION NOTICE.

The undersigned hereby gives notice that he has been appointed by the Probate Court of the City of Newport, Administrator of the estate of **Ella F. Chase** late of said Newport, deceased, and has given bond according to law.

All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to file the same in the office of the clerk of said court within six months from the date of the first advertisement hereof.

Charles H. Chase.
Newport, December 12th, 1913.

Probate Court of the City of Newport.
December 10th, 1913.

Estate of Godfrey Mollitt.

An instrument in writing, purporting to be the last Will and Testament of **Godfrey Mollitt** late of said Newport, deceased, is presented for probate, and the same is received and referred to the Twenty-ninth day of December instant at ten o'clock, A. M., at the Probate Court Room, in said Newport, for consideration; and it is ordered that notice thereof be published for fourteen days, once a week, in the Newport Daily News.

Duncan A. Hazard, Clerk.

Probate Court of the City of Newport.
December 6th, 1913.

Estate of Henry B. DeBlois.

An instrument in writing, purporting to be the last Will and Testament of **Henry D. DeBlois** late of said Newport, deceased, is presented for probate, and the same is received and referred to the Twenty-ninth day of December instant at ten o'clock, A. M., at the Probate Court Room, in said Newport, for consideration; and it is ordered that notice thereof be published for fourteen days, once a week, in the Newport Daily News.

Duncan A. Hazard, Clerk.

LT. COMPTON PROBATE NOTICES.

Probate Court of the Town of Little Compton, December 8, A. D. 1913.

John B. Taylor, Administrator with the Will annexed of the estate of **Barney Gifford**, late of said Little Compton, deceased, presents his first and final account with the estate of said deceased, for allowance, together with his petition in writing, praying that an order of distribution may be entered distributing the balance which may be found in his hands as Administrator c. t. a. aforesaid, among the residuary legatees named in the Will of said deceased; and the same are received and referred to the twelfth day of January A. D. 1914, at 2 o'clock P. M., at the Probate Court Room in said Little Compton for consideration; and it is ordered that notice thereof be published for fourteen days once a week, in the Newport Daily News.

JOHN B. TAYLOR,
Probate Clerk.

HER LIMIT.

[Edgar A. Guest, in Detroit Free Press.]

She's started on her shopping tours,
from now on almost every day.
She'll take her little list and purse and
gayly go upon her way;
She'll pick up gifts of every sort, from
every portion of the earth,
But this year, she declares, no one will
get more than a dollar's worth.

Each year the family larger grows,
each year sees more than last year
saw,
Each year sees added to her list a few
more relatives-in-law;
By marriage wide the circle grows, it
is expanded, too, by birth
And this year, she declares, no one
will get more than a dollar's worth.

A pretty picture in a frame, a heavy
ink well made of brass,
A dollie or a slipper bag, something in
leather or of glass,
A tie that father will not wear, a belt
too large for mother's girth,
All these she will distribute when she
gives each one the dollar's worth.

From store to store she gayly trips in
search of Christmas novelties,
She fingers over many things while
seeking something that will please.
And when at last night brings her
home, she says without a sign of
mirth,
Thank goodness that is done at last! I
got Aunt Kate her dollar's worth.

FANCIES.

The littleness of some people is the biggest part of them.—[Boston Transcript.

The minstrel man may think he's a regular devil, but he isn't really as black as he is painted.—[Philadelphia Record.

If you are thrown on your own resources it is better to land on your feet than on other people's.—[Philadelphia Record.

Marks—What did you gain in your deal with Brown?

Parks—A great deal of respect for Brown's business ability.—[Boston Transcript.

Gladys—Jack proposed to me last night.

Maude—I suppose you turned him down like the rest of us girls?—[Baltimore American.

"What's most liable to get broke about your automobile?"

"The owner," replied Mr. Chuggins.—[Washington Star.

"The convict failed to effect his escape because he forgot to hide his file from the keeper."

"What criminal carelessness."—[Baltimore American.

"Haven't you any electric lights?"

"We had some," replied Sagebrush Sam, "but we took 'em down. The Crimson Gulch city council decided that when two gents make an agreement to shoot on sight, Main street ought to be kept dark long enough to allow those so inclined to get a little slumber."—[Washington Star.

MIDDLETOWN PROBATE NOTICES.

Court of Probate, Middletown, R. I.
November 17, A. D. 1913.

Estate of Minnie A. Johnson.

Lewis L. Simmons, the Guardian of the person and estate of Minnie A. Johnson, a person of full age and of unsound mind, presents to this court, his petition in writing, representing, that his said ward is seized and possessed of a certain tract or parcel of land together with buildings and improvements thereon, situated in said Town of Middletown, containing by measurement two acres and eight tenths of an acre, and is bounded and described as follows: Northerly, by land formerly of Emma M. Hazard, now of Frank S. Goulart and Wife 586.8 feet; Easterly, by Aquidneck Avenue, 197.4 feet; Southerly, by land of Edward M. Petzka, 565.4 feet; and Westerly, by the Charity Farm, so-called, 226.8 feet, or however otherwise bounded, and praying, that he may be authorized and empowered, to sell the interest of said ward in said real estate for the purpose of paying her debts, supporting her and her family and making a better investment of the proceeds of sale. It is ordered that said petition be referred for consideration, to the Court of Probate, to be held at the Town Hall in said Middletown, on Monday, the fifteenth day of December next, A. D. 1913, at one o'clock P. M., and that notice thereof be published for fourteen days, once a week at least, in the Newport Daily News.

ALBERT L. CHASE,
Probate Clerk.

Court of Probate, Middletown, R. I.
November 17, 1913.

Estate of Isaac Barker.

Abiel F. Davis, the Administrator de bonis non with the will annexed, on the estate of Isaac Barker, late of said Middletown, deceased, presents to this Court his third account with said estate for examination and allowance. It is ordered that said account be referred for consideration, to the Court of Probate, to be held at the Town Hall in said Middletown, on Monday, the fifteenth day of December next, A. D., 1913, at one o'clock P. M., and that notice thereof be published for fourteen days, once a week at least, in the Newport Daily News.

ALBERT L. CHASE,
Probate Clerk.

Court of Probate, Middletown, R. I.
November 17, 1913.

Estate of Laura A. Barker.

Abiel F. Davis, the Guardian of the person and estate of Laura A. Barker, a person of full age, presents to this Court, his third account with the estate of his said ward, for examination and allowance. It is ordered that said account be referred for consideration, to the Court of Probate, to be held at the Town Hall in said Middletown, on Monday, the fifteenth day of December next, A. D. 1913, at one o'clock P. M., and that notice thereof be published for fourteen days, once a week at least, in the Newport Daily News.

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JAMESTOWN PROBATE NOTICES.

Clerk's Office of the Probate Court of the Town of Jamestown, R. I., this 5th day of December A. D. 1913.

Estate of Mary D. Rosengarten.

Samuel R. Rosengarten of the City and County of Philadelphia in the State of Pennsylvania, has filed in the office of this Court, a Certified Copy of the last Will and Testament of Mary D. Rosengarten, late of said Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, which Will was proved and allowed by the Court of Probate within and for said County and City of Philadelphia, which copy of said last will and testament, and of the probate thereof, under said seal of Court of Probate and he requests that the same be filed and recorded in the registry of this Court, according to law, said deceased leaving estate in the State of Rhode Island and in said Town of Jamestown, whereon said will may operate; said copy and requests are received and referred to a meeting of the Court of Probate of the Town of Jamestown, R. I., to be held in the Probate Court Room, on Monday, December 22d, 1913 at 7:30 P. M., for consideration and it is ordered that notice thereof be published for fourteen days, once a week, in the Newport Daily News of Newport, R. I.

WM. H. SEVERANCE, Clerk.

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NATIVE VEAL LEGS	22c lb.
NATIVE VEAL for Stew	14c lb.
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THE NEWS IN PROVIDENCE.

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ABOUT LOBBYING.

In the report of the committee which began investigating as soon as the President announced that an insidious lobby was working against the tariff bill there is plain evidence of political bias. The definition of lobbying given by the committee is too vague and broad to serve any useful purpose, and the animadversions upon the National Association of Manufacturers are clearly inspired by the fact that that association is made up of protectionists.

The lobby is defined as any person or association seeking to influence the action of Congress in any way. The woman suffragists, the Prohibitionists, the enthusiasts over deep water ways, are all lobbyists according to this. Moreover, there is no remedy for lobbying, because it is impossible to restrain men and women from going to Washington and trying to have duties raised, or secure appropriations for canals, or obtain a suffrage amendment. Indeed, it is not necessary to go to Washington; persons who sign petitions to Congress or who write letters to Congressmen, urging the defeat of one measure or the enactment of another, are all lobbyists under the definition of the committee.

The methods of the labor organizations and those of the Association of Manufacturers were exactly the same except that the latter had more money. Not only were their methods the same in Washington, but both organizations tried to secure the election of candidates for Congress who were favorable to them, respectively, and to defeat those of adverse opinions. Yet the committee is much more severe in its comments on the manufacturers than in those upon the labor union organizations. The manufacturers were working for high tariffs and the majority of the committee favor low tariffs, and of course the labor union vote is pretty large and the labor vote in and out of unions very large indeed.

The committee's report would carry more weight if it had defined improper efforts to influence Congressmen and then treated all the organizations which engage in that practice impartially.

SOUTH AMERICAN TRADE AND NAVIGATION.

A line of freight steamers has been put on between New York and Rio de Janeiro, backed, it is understood, by the Steel Corporation, whose exports are now reaching such dimensions that it is beginning, like the Standard Oil, to establish its own means of transportation. We trust it will meet good success and that the sailings will be increased and that other lines will be put on because the business pays.

It is to be noticed, however, that this line is established for business reasons, and without any subvention from the government. If men will provide steamship lines for business reasons there would seem to be no sufficient ground for paying them out of the Treasury to do it. A story about this new freight line is accompanied with lugubrious remarks about the scarcity of American flags in the ports of South America and comparisons between our maritime policy and that of European countries. These comparisons are highly misleading, because England and Germany do not subsidize steamers to South America. France does, but its merchant marine shows little growth and its exports to South America have at times declined while ours were increasing.

We have few steamers going to South America, but the complaint that we are dependent upon our European competitors for the means of exporting our goods is intended to give the wholly false impression that our exports suffer from the lack of American shipping. For ten months of this year our exports to the five principal countries of South America have been about 10 per cent larger than a year ago. For nine months of this year, compared with 1911, our exports to Argentina increased from $35,000,000 to $40,000,000; to Brazil, from $27,000,000 to $31,000,000; to Chili, 10 per cent; to Peru, 30 per cent; to Uruguay, 43 per cent. To all South America in 1912 our exports were about $130,000,000; in 1904 they were $53,000,000. The increase is over 160 per cent in eight years.

Do these figures sustain the implication that our export trade is suffering from lack of vessels under our own flag or that vessels under foreign flags make some sort of discrimination against our trade, although they come here to secure it, and that we cannot hope to obtain our share of the export trade unless we hire men to operate steamship lines? It is not even pretended that the subsidies would reduce the freight rates for our exporters; they are only designed to reimburse the American ship owner for the loss he incurs if he carries at the same rates as the foreign ship owner.

ADVANCED AUSTRALIA.

Australia is an object lesson to the whole world as regards its social advance and the reforms, as they are called in this country, instituted there. It has some advantages over many if not most other nations, in that the population is not very large for the area, and for the most part it is a native element. Under such conditions there is naturally not much congestion of people, with the sufferings which this entails; the climate is also favorable, as there is little hardship on account of the weather. The lack of a considerable foreign population likewise tends to make the social problems less perplexing, and indeed to a considerable degree it may be said that the country knows no problems of the kind which afflict most others. With conditions so favorable it is not strange that the social state is remarkable and the advance along that line furnishes a model for the whole world.

The commonwealth is really an absolute democracy, for there is universal suffrage for every man and woman over 21 years of age. There are no qualifications whatever in this respect, all persons who have attained their majority being entitled to a share in the government through the ballot. The conditions as regards labor, also, are extremely advanced. There is a standard of adequate wages and a schedule of short hours, the eight-hour working day prevailing in most cases, with a weekly half-holiday provided by law for all classes. The country is a leader likewise in regard to industrial legislation, for there is generous provision for the incapacitated and the aged. Women at the age of 60 and men at 65 years are provided for by a weekly pension. It is significant also that all the railroads are owned and controlled by the state. This is a list of legislative provisions which is surprising in view of the fact that there is so much controversy in this country even yet over many if not most of these requirements and the people regard most of them which have already been made here as experiments and hardly as assured facts.

The question has been raised whether, in view of all this, the people are any higher in the scale of intelligence, morality and religion, and the answer does not seem to be conclusive. It is replied that, while Australians have not made any marked advance in the realms of intelligence, morality and religion, it is true that under the existing conditions the people can and do feel that they have more reason and a better opportunity to live fuller lives; that they can "find their souls," as the thought is sometimes expressed, and that this condition is well worth what it costs the state or the individual. That is a situation which it may well be the ambition of any country to attain, and if Australia has really through the medium of its marked advance in social conditions come to that point it is a strong argument for the universal establishment of similar conditions as respects social life everywhere in the world.

One of the most severe arraignments of the perplexing and unsatisfactory conditions as regards social matters in this and other countries is that they do not give the people the opportunity to make the most of themselves, because men are ground down so that they have no ambition for the higher and the better things of life, no desire to rise in the social scale, no craving for a fuller life, or if they have such feelings there is no opportunity to gratify them. If Australia with its broader life for the people and its improved industrial, social, intellectual and moral conditions has attained a position where it is not true, as it is in most other countries, that the people are denied the best and the fullest life, that is a happy stage to which it has come and other nations should promptly place themselves in the way of attaining the same condition.

Mrs. Ella Flagg Young, although displaced as superintendent of schools of Chicago, may be once more restored to the office on a wave of popular demand, as she was last July. Mayor Harrison has taken a hand in the matter and promised to aid the various women's organizations which are protesting against Mrs. Young's removal. The mayor says he will enforce the resignation of a number of members of the school board who voted against her.

The officials of the Department of Justice have reached the conclusion that there is little ground for the belief that a nation-wide cold storage combine exists. Sufficient evidence has been forthcoming, however, to show that in some cities such combinations do exist, but it is not nation-wide. If not the cold storage men, who is to blame for the high price of eggs? Perhaps the hens.

Former President Charles W. Eliot of Harvard praises President Wilson and censures Secretary of State Bryan for their action in filling political offices. He sees evidences that Bryan is paying political debts in his appointments.

We are fast coming to the time when it will no longer be quite correct to urge Christmas buyers to "shop early." "Shop now" must soon be the slogan.

It did not take the jury long to decide that there is a right of way for the public at the Sachuest Beach farm.

NAVAL ORDERS AND MOVEMENTS.

The Navy Department announces the following orders to officers:

Commander John F. Hubbard, detached from the Wilmington and ordered to treatment at the naval hospital, Hong Kong, China.

Lieutenant W. J. Muses, detached from the Pacific reserve fleet and ordered to the Raleigh as executive officer.

Lieutenants R. F. Zogbaum, Jr., and L. H. Lary, detached from duty as aides on the staff of the commander of the First division, Atlantic fleet, and ordered home and to wait orders.

Lieutenant E. D. Washburn, Jr., ordered to duty in connection with the fitting out of the Texas and on board that vessel when commissioned.

Lieutenant (junior grade) L. M. Stevens, detached from the Pacific reserve fleet and ordered to the Raleigh as navigator.

Ensign R. N. Miller, detached from the New Orleans and ordered to the Raleigh.

Ensigns S. S. Brown and J. K. Esler, detached from the Charleston and ordered to the Raleigh.

Ensign J. T. Alexander, detached from the West Virginia and ordered to the Raleigh.

Surgeon R. R. Richardson, detached from the Virginia and ordered to the New Jersey.

Surgeon G. L. Angony, detached from the New Jersey and ordered to the Virginia.

Passed Assistant Surgeon G. B. Crow, detached from the Naval Medical School, Washington, and ordered to the naval hospital, New York.

Passed Assistant Surgeon C. E. Strite, detached from the Virginia and ordered to the Michigan.

Assistant Surgeon J. J. O'Malley, detached from the Albany and ordered home and to wait orders.

Boatswain E. R. Hill, detached from the Chattanooga and ordered to the Raleigh.

Boatswain W. O. Milligan, detached from the Raleigh and ordered to the Chattanooga.

Chief Gunner Augustus Anderson, detached from the St. Louis and ordered to the Raleigh.

Machinist P. B. Cozine, detached from the Chattanooga and ordered to the Raleigh.

Carpenter M. M. Saylor, detached from the West Virginia and ordered home and to wait orders.

The following movements of vessels are reported:

Arrived—Justin at Tiburon, California, at Mazatlan.

Sailed—Annapolis, from San Blas for Mazatlan; Nashville, from Sanitago de Cuba for Santo Domingo City.

REAL ESTATE SALES.

Emma A. Tew to Charles Augustus Wood, the estate bounded north, 8 feet, on Bay View avenue; east, 150 feet, on land of devisees of George M. Fludder; south, 23 feet, on the estate of Mary J. Bowler; west, 43 feet; south, 4 feet; west, 30 feet; northwest, 24 feet, and west, 26 feet, on other land of grantee.

John B. Urquhart to the Spouting Rock Beach Association, the lot bounded south, 133 feet, on Ocean avenue; west, 375 feet, by land of Rachel A. Mason; north, on Almy pond; east, 280 feet, on land of Michael Carroll; south, 50 feet, and east, 125 feet, on land of Moore, and containing 37,700 square feet.

John Mason to the Spouting Rock Beach Association, the lot bounded south, 150 feet, on Ocean avenue; west, 416 feet, on land formerly of Bailey & Smith, now of grantee; north, on Almy pond, and east, 265 feet, on land of Rachel A. Mason, about to be conveyed to grantee, and containing 40,635 feet of land.

John and Rachel A. Mason to the Spouting Rock Beach Association, the lot bounded south, 150 feet, on Ocean avenue; west, 365 feet, by land of John Mason, conveyed to grantee; north, on Almy pond, and east, 375 feet, on land of J. B. Urquhart, about to be conveyed to grantee, and containing 37,675 square feet.

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Christmas Sales by Women of Methodist and Christian Churches.

[Regular correspondence of The News.]

The Christmas sale of the Ladies' Benevolent Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church, held in the vestry Thursday afternoon and evening, was largely attended and the receipts surpassed any similar occasion, more than $40 being the result. The tables had been decorated with Christmas crepe paper, having Santa Claus, holly berries and gay colors for adornment, and prettily arranged tables. The committees on the sales were: Fancy work, Mrs. Annie Tucker, Mrs. Charles B. Ashley; cake, Mrs. Henry Hedly, Mrs. Limmeline Wilcox; sandwiches, Mrs. A. Fremont Grinnell, Miss Edna Brophy; ice cream, Mrs. Frank L. Tallman, Mrs. William B. Spooner; tea and coffee, Mrs. William C. Dennis, Mrs. Leander W. Coggeshall; candy, Miss Lois Ashley, Mrs. David Hedly; ice cream tickets, Mrs. Harrison Manchester.

The Christmas sale of the Ladies' Aid of the Christian Church, held with Mrs. Robert Purcell on Glen street, had a large attendance and resulted better financially than any previous. Mrs. Albert Loucks had charge of one apron table, Miss Anna Hathaway of another kind of aprons, Mrs. John R. Coggeshall and Mrs. Thomas J. Sweet a variety table, including a wide assortment of bags, fancy articles, holders, both useful and ornamental, and trifles of all kinds. Miss Elsie Brown and Miss Helen Walker served refreshments to all guests. There were a number present from quite a distance. The sum of $50.85 was realized.

The Women's Auxiliary and the Guild of St. Paul's Church combined held an all-day meeting at the parish house Thursday and spent the day in preparing the vestments for the Junior Auxiliary choir, which it is expected will be enough advanced to take part in the Christmas service. There was a large attendance and dinner was served consisting of crab salad, sandwiches, olives, pie, cake and tea.

Mrs. Timothy P. Durfee of Fall River is visiting Mrs B. Percival Sherman on Glen street.

Dr. and Mrs. Berton W. Storrs entertained Wednesday, Mrs. Mulcahy and three children and Mrs. Gregory, Mrs. Mulcahy's sister from New York.

Phebe Gifford, oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Abner P. Anthony, is sick with a light attack of diphtheria.

Mrs. C. Woodman Chase has gone to Worcester, Mass., to see if a change in climate will benefit her health, which has been poor for some time.

Mrs. Thomas Holman, who went to East Providence, Hunt's Mills, a fortnight ago, returned as far as Fall River Tuesday, accompanied by her hostess, Mrs. James Williams. Both were guests of relatives in Fall River, principally of Mrs. John Lawton, until Thursday, when each returned to her home.

Miss Carolyn D. Anthony is spending the week in New Bedford, guest of Miss Mary Lamb. She will return Saturday.

Margaret, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sherman, who was badly hurt recently, is as comfortable as could be expected.

Mr. Wallace Macomber and his sister, with two other young persons, who had been spending the evening with friends in this town, started for their home in Westport Harbor at a late hour in a touring car. Some one had placed an electric light pole, which had been broken off, across the road and they ran into it, destroying one of the wheels and bending several parts of the machine. It was then between 12 and 1 o'clock in the morning and help was secured with some difficulty. Finally another machine was procured and the party proceeded towards their home, leaving the disabled automobile for repairs.

Among those attending the State Grange this week in Providence are Worthy Master Arthur A. Sherman, Ceres Mrs. Sherman, Flora Mrs. William K. Boyd, Mrs. Warren R. Sherman and Charles E. Boyd.

Mrs. Charles Grinnell went to Providence on Thursday to visit her sister, Mrs. John Austin.

The Sowle brothers have been spending the week in New York, expecting to return with a carload of cows.

The thermometer stood at 16 degrees above zero at 5 o'clock this morning in Newtown village.

Mr. Frank Almy of Fall River, who died suddenly Wednesday morning, was the father of Mr. William A. N. Almy of this town and of Mrs. David Caswell and Mrs. Robert T. S. Allen, formerly of Portsmouth and now of Tiverton.

The attendance at the meeting in the revival series held at the Friends' Church Thursday evening was not quite so large as usual, owing to events calling a number out of town and other public affairs. Rev. Mr. Whybrow preached from Romans III: 22-23.

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Mrs. Levi Almy, who has been spending the winter with her husband in other towns, has come to Portsmouth to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Fremont Grinnell.

BETTER AIR BELOW DECK.

Movement to Improve Conditions of Battleship Coal Passers.

Much attention has been given recently by naval officers to conditions on board ship so far as they affect the comfort and efficiency of the crew. Investigations have been directed especially to the situation prevailing in the fire and engine rooms. It has been found that the conditions have greatly improved, notably on those vessels now using oil exclusively for fuel.

For a long time great difficulty was encountered among the men on account of the influence of heat, but this, to a large extent, has been over overcome. The reports, however, indicate that too low a physical standard exists for those who enlist to serve as coal passers. An effort will be made to exclude from this work those who are to young or too small for this exhausting labor. It is proposed that there shall be a rigid examination before men are assigned to this duty. The naval engineers report that the men under them are disposed to spend their entire time below, rather than go to the trouble to wash and change into the uniform required of men who appear on deck.

It is pointed out that it would be of advantage to the men if every effort were made to induce them to spend their spare time in the open air. They need the light and air more than those otherwise engaged on battleships. To this end the engineers have suggested that there be a modification of the rates and regulations which impose troublesome obligations, tending to discourage a man from appearing on deck at a time when it would be of benefit to him physically and mentally.

It is believed that conditions below deck should be subjected to careful consideration, Secretary Daniels regarding this proposition as of considerable importance. His inspection of warships has convinced him that there is opportunity for an improvement. The quarters of some of the subordinates on board ship are poorly ventilated, and there is necessary a confinement which it is impossible to relieve short of rebuilding some of the vessels.

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THE WEATHER.

BOSTON, Dec. 12.—Forecast for Boston and vicinity—Fair and warmer tonight and Saturday; moderate to brisk westerly winds.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—Forecast for southern New England—Fair tonight and Saturday; warmer; moderate to brisk southwest to west winds.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—Forecast for northern New England—Fair tonight and Saturday; warmer; brisk southwest winds.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

Fair and generally clear weather prevails in all sections of the country, except local rain at a few scattered stations. The barometer is moderately lower on the Pacific coast and over Canadian sections, and high elsewhere. The temperature is lower in the Middle states and Northeast, and higher elsewhere. This morning at 8 a. m. in New England it ranged from 2 below at Northfield, Vt., to about 22 above in the southern portion. At New York it was 24, Boston 33, Washington 28, Atlanta 40, Jacksonville 44, New Orleans 48, St. Louis 38, Chicago 35, St. Paul 32, Bismarck 22, Omaha 34, Kansas City 40, Denver 14, Los Angeles 56, San Francisco 52, and Portland, Oregon, 44.

LOCAL CONDITIONS.

	8 h	12 h	2 h
Temperature	24	36	42
Barometer	30.10	—	—
Wind	W	W	N W
Weather	Fair	Fair	Fair

MINIATURE CALENDAR.

Friday, December 12.
Sun rises 7:03 sets 4:24
Moon sets 8:29 a. m.
Day's length 9:21 decrease 0.03
High water 6:20 a. m., 6:52 p. m.

Moon's Phases.

Full moon, Dec. 13th, 8:59 a. m.
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CURLEY—In this city, 10th inst., at his residence, 24 Rhode Island avenue, Morris M., son of the late John and Catherine Curley.

Funeral Monday, Dec. 15, at 8:45. Solemn high mass at St. Joseph's Church at 9:30. Relatives and friends are invited.

Boston, Providence and Fall River papers please copy.

SULLIVAN—In this city, 11th inst., at her residence, 37 Pope street, Catherine, widow of Lawrence P. Sullivan.

Funeral Saturday, Dec. 13, at 8:15. Solemn high mass of requiem at St. Mary's Church at 9. Relatives and friends are invited.

McGILL—In this city, 11th inst., Mary Ann, widow of William McGill, aged 86 years.

Funeral services at her late residence, 7 Poplar street, Saturday, Dec. 13, at 2 o'clock. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

SAYLES—In Middletown, 10th inst., Sarah Jane, wife of Henry H. Sayles, in her 60th year.

Funeral service at her late residence, Chase's lane, Saturday, Dec. 13, at 1 P. M. Relatives and friends are invited.

MORRISON—In this city, 12th inst., Daniel Morrison, in his 52d year.

GAMMON—In this city, 11th inst., at the residence of her parents, 30 Holland street, Ellen, daughter of Patrick and Ellen Gammon.

LYNCH—In Providence, 11th inst., Hannah, wife of James Lynch.

MARTIN—In Providence, 10th inst., Mary A., wife of W. H. Martin.

SHERLOCK—In Providence, 10th inst., Mark E. Sherlock.

DURFEE—In East Greenwich, 10th inst., Mary N. Durfee, in her 51st year.

ROCK—In Pawtucket, 11th inst., Patrick Rock.

Estate of John S. Langley, Undertaking.

All persons or estates indebted to the Estate of John S. Langley will kindly make payment of their several accounts at the earliest possible date, to Alfred G. Langley, Executor, 1 School street, Newport, R. I., as the business is being closed up.

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FIRES ON MAJOR THORPE.

Former Apprentice Shoots at Commander of Naval Prison, Portsmouth.

A despatch from Portsmouth, N. H., says Frederick Richardt, who while an apprentice at the Naval Training Station here was sentenced to serve 11 months in the naval prison at Portsmouth, from which he was discharged December 2, today fired upon the commander of the prison, Major George C. Thorpe of the marine corps. The bullet went wild. Richardt was standing on the curbstone and discharged a revolver as Major Thorpe passed down the street in an automobile. The bullet struck the car just below where the major was sitting. Richardt made no attempt to escape.

The police say he told them he had been trying to shoot Major Thorpe since Monday, and had fired at him yesterday. Richardt was brooding over alleged wrongs inflicted on him during his confinement in the naval prison.

NO LICENSE MEETING.

Strong Protest Before the Board Against Bath Road Places.

Some expected that the License Commission would meet Thursday evening, the usual time, and the board still having some applications to dispose of, but there was no meeting and there is no report as to when there will be one. There is a strong written protest before the board against the granting of licenses on Bath road, referring to the two licensed places near Freebody street, applications for which have been laid on the table by the board. It is likely that there will be more protests against these places, as the sentiment seems to have grown that the neighborhood would be better without them.

JAMESTOWN.

[Regular correspondence of The News]

Steamer J. A. Saunders was 20 minutes behind her schedule Thursday noon, owing to a hawser fouling the propeller. The boat was in the Jamestown slip at the time, and after the line had been cut was able to make up the time by the 2:20 trip.

This morning was the coldest of the winter on the island, as low as 18 above being reported from some of the most exposed places.

Tug Tasco with Scott's big wrecking lighter in tow, and five-masted schooner Mary W. Bowen passed out of the west bay Thursday afternoon, bound to the westward.

A new cottage on Clarke street for Mr. Santos is nearly covered in and the concrete building for the Bay State Company on the lot adjoining has been completed and the forms taken down.

Two Blue Line box barges laden with coal are tied up at ferry wharf for a harbor.

The members of the Jamestown Brass Band are arranging for a dance.

Keeper Wales at Beavertail light states that the tautog have struck off from the rocks, after remaining much later than usual good fish having been caught until about a week ago.

A large four-master is anchored in the deep water east of the Dumplings.

THE NAVAL BATTALION ON PARADE.

The naval battalion made one of its practice marches through the city streets Thursday afternoon. The route was in the upper and hill section and rather longer than for some time. The line was also composed of more men than have been paraded of late.

It is hardly probable that there will be another of these marches this year, for the weather is not to be relied upon and the return of the ships from their foreign cruise will result in calls for men to fill up the complements and many of the boys will probably have a holiday furlough preparatory to going to sea duty.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

—The fittings for the vault in the office of the school department have reached the City Hall and will shortly be installed.

—Officer Palmer was called to Providence today in the Smith case. Inspector Tobin is attending the trial all the time.

—The Tiverton liquor case in the district court received another postponement today, because Mr. Nolan was engaged in the superior court.

—Superintendent and Mrs. Lull were invited to attend the private reception given this afternoon to Dr. Monterossi, the celebrated teacher, in Providence. Miss Craig of Providence was one of her pupils the past summer.

—Today C. B. Anderson had 40 barrels of cod, the Seaconnet River Oyster Company 20 barrels and the Fisheries6. There were no herring, the run having lasted just one day. Thursday Jim Fortin had 5 barrels and Edward Fortin 4 of flounders, and J E Clarke from Point Judith 10 barels of trap fish.

—Three additional orders for Red Cross Christmas seals were received by Miss Akerley this morning, 500 each from Coddington and Mumford and 400 from Cranston. She also received a number of little white buttons, with the double red cross on them, which will be given to those who sell $2 worth of stamps. A pretty little booth is being erected in the postoffice lobby and will be opened Saturday for the sale of the seals.

—A committee consisting of Lieutenant William S. Pye of the Naval War College, Surgeon James M. Minter of the naval hospital, Lieutenant Albert C. Reed of the Torpedo Station and Lieutenant Nell E. Nichols and Paymaster Robert S. Chew of the Training Station, has been appointed to arrange for a series of dances at the Naval War College. The first will be given Friday evening, January 9, and the others at intervals of three weeks, if circumstances permit.

TIME HONORED SINECURES GO.

Official Designer and Hoseman Clerk of Pittsburgh Abolished.

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 12.—Two time-honored sinecures in the Pittsburgh fire department were abolished today when the city's nine councilmen refused to renew application for an "official designer" and a "hoseman clerk." The former during the last year designed a badge for firemen's hats, for which he received a salary of $1,200 and the latter's duties consisted in carrying the pay roll once a month across the Allegheny river to Pittsburgh city hall, for which he received the same amount.

VERDICT FOR THE STATE.

Jury Takes Only 45 Minutes to Reach Decision in Sachuest Case.

Says There Was a Public Way, and the Locked Gate Was Across Said Way.

After being out 45 minutes, the jury in the superior court this morning returned a verdict in favor of the state (or town) in the Sachuest Neck highway case. It said "yes" to both counts; first, that there was a public way to the end of the neck on the west side; second, that the locked gate is across the said public way.

The jury went out at 10:22, considerable time having been spent after Judge Brown completed his charge in bringing all the paper in the case together to the satisfaction of the lawyers on both sides, the charge having concluded at 9:45. They returned at 11:10, but it was 11:37 when the clerk had prepared various forms of verdict and the lawyers had made a selection of the one which they were agreed should be read to the jury and signed. Mr. Sheffield was not present when the jury returned, but came in time to interest himself in the form and in the after discussion as to the future of the case.

It is agreed that the verdict is not conclusive but is advisory, and Mr. Barney moved that the case be argued for final decree before the judge who heard it. Mr. Sheffield rather thought the case would go immediately to the supreme court but Mr. Barney contended that a decree must first be entered in the superior court, and the judge supported this. Mr. Sheffield desired time to prepare a brief on the law points and said he would be away next week, when Mr. Barney proposed that they should argue. The court suggested that the lawyers should look up the proceedings to be taken in this unusual case, and that next week a time could be set for arguments, which he said he would hear any Saturday in Providence. Mr. Barney seemed to be guarding against long delay and Mr. Sheffield said there was no intention on his part to cause such.

Mr. Barney resumed his argument for the state Thursday afternoon, before Judge Brown. He proceeded to refer to old deeds which have been put in the case and are substantiated by the original copy of an old book of Proprietors' records. In this reference Mr. Barney, reading the records, showed the distinction made in the records of ways that were public or ways over which owners could go to and from their properties. Here also was shown the authority for putting up gates or bars to keep in cattle. Mr. Barney contended from these records that there was a dedication of the way down the neck as a public way 211 years ago, and a much clearer declaration than can be found in the case of most ways of such age. He then proceeded to show from documents the approach to this way from the vicinity of the Hanging Rocks, as proof of the existence of this way. The fact that the way across the farm to the east shore was closed, and that traffic was turned down the west side of the point and then up the other side, made a substitution which was apparently acquiesced in by the public, and thus doubly secures the way down the west side of the neck. Mr. Barney completed in just an hour.

The court said that he appreciated that the jury had a great number of papers to examine and he would not send them out that night. Hence he did not deliver his charge, but after cautioning them about discussing the case excused them until 9:30 in the morning.

The court came in at 9:34 o'clock this morning and a minute later Judge Brown began to charge the jury, continuing for nearly three quarters of an hour. He said this is a proceeding brought by the attorney general to abate a nuisance on an alleged highway or driftway which has existed "since the memory of man runneth not to the contrary." The defendent, it is alleged, obstructed by locking a gate across the way and the state's action is for abatement. In proceedings of this kind in equity it is not ordinary to invoke the aid of a jury. This unusual proceeding submits to the jury the question: Did such a way exist at the point alleged?

The burden of proof rests on the state. If evidence as a whole leaves the question fairly in doubt the state has failed and the verdict must be against it and "No." If the evidence satisfies that such a way existed as contemplated in the bill, then the verdict must be "Yea."

The fact that the public is interested on one side and the individual on the other should have no influence on the jury, but the facts in the case should be judged.

What the court says is law you will take as such. If the counsel consider that it is not good law, they have redress by taking exceptions. You judge the facts only.

You took a view. What you saw gives you better opportunity to decide upon these facts. You went over via Sachuest beach and back by the highway across the beach property. This is only an approach to the alleged highway.

It is immaterial whether the way in question was a highway or a driftway. If it was either the purposes in this case are the same. Highways in Rhode Island are established in different ways—some by laying out in manner provided by law. Where they were laid out 200 years ago they are likely to be more or less indefinite, and to prove the layout other than the usual method may need to be resorted to. Another way is that of dedication and acceptance. If the public has used such a way for 20 years unobstructed it may be assumed to be so dedicated, or a way may be proved by immemorial repair and use by the public for 20 years, in which case the law presumes a grant. It must have been an adverse (to the owner) and peaceable use for a period of 20 years, and after that the defendant would have no right to obstruct, and if he did the public would not lose its rights by disuse.

The court called attention to the old papers in the case and said they were entitled to consideration where they allude to highways, driftways and ways. The Rhode Island law recognizes driftways as different from highways. In the latter town councils may direct the establishment of gates or bars, but they are compelled to keep such ways in repair. Gates and bars cannot be placed across highways and highways must be kept in repair. In the case of a driftway, consequently, there need be no proof that a town has made repairs. An attempt on the part of an owner to block such way is no interruption unless he resort to some overt act and then the public does not lose by neglect to use the way when barred.

This trial, the court said, had lasted a week. Great skill and been displayed by the lawyers on both sides in presenting their cases in the most advantageous state. The defendant raises question of right to close the way and says the public has no right to use it.

The first question is whether or not there is a way running to the point, since the memory of man runneth not to the contrary. If you find that the way extends only to the gate you cannot say "Yes," but since the state contends that the gate is a nuisance, for assistance in this extensive hearing you will declare whether it is a highway to the gate, if you cannot find for the whole distance. The state admitted, and the defense did not deny, that the gate now in use is not at the original place, but 300 feet to the north. The second issue is: Is the locked gate erected by the defendant across the highway?

The court then proceeded to read the points requested by the lawyers, taking up the suggestions of the defense, and charging generally as requested—first, relative to the establishment of a highway by prescription; second, as to the owners leaving the way open for more than 20 years without objection; third, as to immemorial repair as a highway; fourth, the court refused to read; fifth, as to creation by prescription, that it must be a definite way and not indiscriminate (this the court qualified by charging that slight deviations would not alter the rules given); sixth, as to the denial of the public by the closing of the gate. Here again the court said he would qualify the rule he was asked to charge, in that if it could be found that the way had been interrupted for any continuous period of 20 years prior to the proceedings the public is not to be deprived of its use now. Suggestions 8, 9 and 10 he also declined to read. Mr. Sheffield said his whole case was argued on an act of 1715, which was suggested in a point not read. The court said he had no recollection of such an act being in the case and asked where it could be found, the reply being in "Colonial;" he did not have it there, but at his office. Mr. Barney said the act was of 1754 and the court decided to hold to his decision to eliminate it.

At the request of the state he charged as to the law when an abutter stops one portion of a way and opens another, and the public uses this, that it becomes a substitution. This the court qualified by the application of the 20-year period. The second point was that pertaining to evidence of a way laid out to the water house and around to the east side of the neck, and later being stopped up and the public still retaining its rights.

The court told the jury that they would answer as to the facts as they found them.

Mr. Harvey took exceptions to a number of points in the charge and the court asked for more explicit reference to some of the objectionable points. Mr. Barney said he had no objections to the charge, which was perfectly satisfactory.

When the jury retired there was an attempt to start the case of Fritz vs. Donovan which has been much heard in the district court. Just as the jury was about to be called Mr. Levy squeezed in with a motion to sell a horse. The effects of the P. H. Welch Coal Company have been attached and the horse is in a public stable, with its board bill mounting up. The company was unrepresented. The court, after hearing the deputy who made the attachment, gave the order that the horse be sold next Tuesday at 10 o'clock.

The Fritz-Donovan case was again in order and jurors were called. It was stated that the action was one of trespass and ejectment, for the possession of the so-called barrel barn on Albro street. Mr. Sullivan challenged two men and Mr. Levy challenged three. The clerk called a man and the court officer said 10. The clerk announced that the panel was exhausted. The court said it would be necessary to wait until the other jury returned and the spare jurors, the men who were challenged, were excused until Monday at 11:50 o'clock. The two necessary men were secured from the other jury when it reported and the other 10 were given their freedom until Monday.

DROP IN TEMPERATURE.

Cold Without the Wind and Low Mark Four Below That of Tuesday.

There was some winter weather Thursday night and this morning, the lowest temperature of the season being reached between 4 and 6 today, when the registering thermometer at the pumping station marked 18 degrees, two below Tuesday morning. There was every indication that this would be the case Thursday night. The sidewalks had become chilly and people generally showed by clothing and actions that they knew it was cold.

The temperature dropped until at 9:30 it stood at 27, or three degrees below the mark of last Monday night, when the stiff wind made it seem colder than it was. This time it was cold without the wind, though there was a fair breeze until after midnight. The low mark is four degrees below the previous low of Tuesday morning. Ice formed on the ponds and anchor ice was noticed, showing that the water has become well chilled by the continued cold weather this week.

The sun is out and doing good work today, the wind has come around to the southwest, and things are not so chilly.

GEOGRAPHY TALKS FOR TEACHERS.

Superintendent Lull is trying to arrange a series of talks on geography by the head of the geography department of the State Normal School, for the benefit of the teachers of the public schools. He has canvassed the schools and has received the names of 18 who have expressed a desire to attend these talks. The plan, if it goes through, is to have 10, to be held Saturday mornings. If the plan succeeds and he secures the speaker he will send invitations to the teachers of Jamestown, Middletown and Portsmouth to attend.

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THE NEW CITY CHARTER.

Illuminating Talk by Dr. Brackett Before Civic Study Club.

The Civic Study Club at its weekly meeting Thursday evening listened to an entertaining and instructing address by Dr. C. A. Brackett on the new city charter. The members were so deeply impressed that they feel that it is not right for them to listen alone to such illuminating talks, and they will endeavor to arrange in the future, when they are to have speakers, that the meetings shall be open to the public.

Dr. Brackett spoke of the origin of the charter, of the dissatisfaction with the old, of the choice of type of government, and the rejection of the commission for the New England town meeting form. He told the provisions of the charter and its advantages, its accomplishments and failures. The disadvantages of the old form of government, he said, were the piling up of the city's debts, the fact that the officials were not paid and the consequent looking to deals and jobs for compensation, the graft in city contracts and the choice of officials because of politics rather than because of their fitness. It had become repugnant to citizens to be associated with the government, and in cases quite detrimental to their good. Under the new plan men take office and gain a knowledge of the city's affairs, take an interest and exercise a good influence.

As to accomplishments under the new charter he summed up the situation by saying that no river can be higher than its source and no city better than the citizens want it. If the people do not want the law enforced it will not be. As to the objection to the size of the Representative Council, he said the framers desired to go as near to true democracy as possible, and he believed it to be an excellent form of charter.

A committee was appointed to make clippings from the daily papers of matters pertaining to subjects studied by the club and the members were urged to read Professor Burgess's address, given here last summer.

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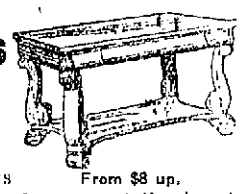

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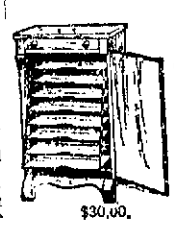

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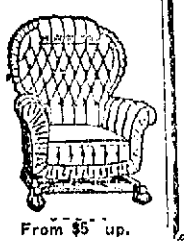

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TAX REPORT QUESTIONED.

Mrs. Madeleine Force Astor Asks for Re-Examination of the Law.

Mrs. Madeleine Talmage Force Astor has filed a petition in the surrogate's court in New York, before Surrogate Cohalan, to have the transfer tax report upon the estate of her late husband, Colonel John Jacob Astor, remitted to Appraiser John V. Coggey.

The question at issue is whether Mrs. Astor should be required to pay an inheritance tax of $39,842.38 upon properties at 22-26 and 28-30 West Thirty-fourth street, the income from which, under an ante-nuptial agreement, was to be paid to Mrs. Astor upon Colonel Astor's death or upon the termination of a trust created upon the properties.

In asking that the report be remitted Mrs. Astor requests that the appraiser be directed to re-examine the law and report as to whether her interest in this property is taxable. She contends that, inasmuch as she holds her interest in the properties under the ante-nuptial agreement, the interest came to her in the way of a debt and therefore is not taxable.

She states that the appraiser valued her interest in these properties at $1,094,119 and fixed a tax upon it amounting to $39,342.38.

PROGRESS ON WARSHIPS.

Navy Department Reports Percentage of Vessels' Completion.

The following is the percentage of completion of United States naval vessels under construction December 1, according to a statement issued by the Navy Department:

Battleships—New York, 94; Texas, 97.2; Nevada, 50.8; Oklahoma, 51.5; Pennsylvania, 14.1.

Destroyers—Downes, 87.2; Aylwin, 97.4; Parker, 95.2; Benham, 93; Balch, 92.6; O'Brien, 20.1; Nicholson, 19.1; Winslow, 18; McDougal, 45.4; Cushing, 24; Ericsson, 25.2.

Destroyer tenders—Melville 15.3.

Submarines—G-4, 96.4; G-2, 89.7; H-1, 100; H-2, 100; H-3, 98.9; G-3 77.3; K-1, 94.1; K-2, 94.1; K-3, 89.5; K-4, 88.4; K-5, 83.9; K-6, 83.4; K-7, 80.9; K-8, 78.5; L-1, 16.2; L-2, 16.2; L-3, 16.2; L-4, 16.2; L-5, 7.4; M-1, 11.1.

Submarine tenders—Fulton, 27.8; Bushnell, 4.5.

Fuel ships—Kanawha, 14.7; Maumee, 9.2.

Gunboats—Sacramento, 57.3; Monocacy, 100.

ROGERS TO ENTER.

Plans for Triangular Interscholiastic Debating League.

The first definite action regarding the proposed triangular interscholastic debating league was taken Thursday, when President Ivan S. Coggeshall of the Rogers Lyceum went to Providence for a consultation with representatives from other schools. Principal Samuel W. Irwin represented East Greenwich Academy, while President Stanley H. Franklin of the Providence English High School debating society, was present for his school. The delegates met in the Public Library.

A special meeting of the Rogers Lyceum will be called for next Wednesday evening and in all probability Rogers will agree to enter its team. Mr. Franklin was chosen chairman and secretary of the representatives, all communications regarding the matter going to him.

The plan proposed is to have a debate at each school, thereby giving each team opportunity to meet the others. The questions for debate are to be submitted seven weeks in advance of the date, and the home team will have the privilege of choosing the side it wishes to defend. English High will come to Newport for the first debate in February; Rogers will go to East Greenwich for the April meeting, and East Greenwich go to Providence for the last debate.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

—Miss Roberta Willard and Miss Elizabeth Sands have returned from Boston.

—Mrs. George Grenville Merrill is visiting Miss Virginia Butler in Stockbridge, Mass.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Elliott are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Marsden J. Perry in Providence.

—Miss Elizabeth B. Waring has returned from Paris, where she has spent the past two years, and is occupying her cottage on Catherine street.

—Master Benton Holden of Fitchburg, Mass., formerly of Newport, was one of the special prize winners in the Lord Company contest.

—Mrs. Elbridge T. Gerry will give a dinner and dance at her residence, 2 East Sixty-first street, New York, Monday evening, January 12.

—Mrs. Harry L. DeBlois has furnished the Christmas greens for the Army and Navy Young Men's Christian Association building this year, as for several years past.

—Mrs. Stuart Duncan gave a dinner for 30 guests at her residence in New York Thursday evening. She will give a dinner for a larger number, followed by a dance, next Wednesday evening.

The members of the Shiloh Baptist Church have sent out invitations to the thirty-fifth wedding anniversary of the pastor and his wife, Rev. and Mrs. Henry N. Jeter, to be observed at the church, corner School and Mary streets, Wednesday evening, December 31, the reception to be from 8 to 10 o'clock.

—The Ladies Aid Society of the First Baptist Church held a successful sale of candy, cake and fancy articles Thursday afternoon and evening, disposing of all the articles offered. The sale netted $60, which will be applied to the improvement fund of the church.

—Mrs. Herbert Wright, formerly Miss Edith Barber, supervisor of drawing in the Newport public schools is conducting Sundays in the parsonage parlor of the Adams Square Congregational Church, Worcester, a parent teachers' class. Mrs. Wright's brother-in-law was re-elected mayor of Worcester Tuesday.

—At the Mt. Zion African Methodist Episcopal Church Thursday evening a concert was given under the auspices of the parsonage committee. The program included five selections by Clarence T. Potter, including imitations of Harry Lauder; a piano solo by Miss Sadie Jennings, recitations by Mrs. Catherine B. Madison and vocal selections by Mrs. Stella Boss. Mrs. Octavia Dash was the accompanist.

WILSON'S VIEWS ON PHILIPPINES.

Best Judges in Congress Think No Action Will be Taken This Session.

Senators Refuse to Listen to Long Speeches—Leaders Disagree on Mexican Situation.

[Washington correspondence of the News.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—President Wilson's message on the Philippines was not as strong as the declaration in the Democratic platform, and there has been an under-current of comment about it. "The message means that nothing will be done about the Philippines at present, probably not at this session of Congress," was the comment of Congressman Sherley of Kentucky, who has always been opposed to the proposition that a time must be set for giving the Philippines independence.

At the same time Congressman Jones is going to make an effort to have his bill, granting the Filipinos their independence in eight years passed by the House. That will put the issue up to the Senate and the best judges believe that the Senate will not take any action during this session.

Senators absolutely refuse to listen to what their fellow Senators say about many great public questions. While there was a quorum about the Senate when the Hetch-Hetchy bill and the currency bill were being discussed, that quorum would not remain and listen to the long speeches on these bills. A call of the roll would bring 60 or more Senators. They would come from the cloakrooms, from committee rooms and from the corridors, but before the call was completed they would disappear.

One day during the debate on the currency bill Senator Weeks of Massachusetts was an earnest listener of a long speech. Some asked him why he stayed. "I have to," he replied. "I'm on duty. I've been detailed for this watch." He was using terms he had learned at the Naval Academy.

On another occasion while Weeks was "on watch" there was the usual lack of a quorum and Reed was making a speech. Weeks called for a quorum, saying, "I am sure if the Democrats knew the Senator from Missouri was making a speech they would be here." Three minutes later a dozen Senators were still in the chamber.

There are still a few places on the American continent that have not applied for the new armor plant which has not yet been provided, but which Secretary Daniels has recommended. Half a dozen bills for the armor plant factory are introduced every day, and every Congressional district ought to be an applicant before any action has been taken.

More or less has been said about money control during the debates on the currency bill. Senators Shafroth and Thomas together told about the difficulties Moffat had in building his road across the Rocky mountains. They said it was opposed by the Pacific roads north and south and Moffat could not get money either in the United States or Europe to finance the enterprise. From a man of $10,000,000 he became almost a bankrupt in building his road.

Minority Leader Mann predicted war with Mexico as a result of present conditions. Congressman Kahn, the ranking minority member of the committee on military affairs, did not agree with Mann. "I do not fear anything of that kind," said the California member. "Personally I am absolutely opposed to intervention in Mexico. I also believe that we have absolutely no right to interfere in the internal affairs of any sister republic or foreign country." These statements were greeted with such applause as to indicate that the sentiment of the House is against meddling with the Latin-American countries.

When a bill creating a new office was passed the Republicans asserted that it was for the purpose of giving a job to a hungry Democrat. Congressman Harrison of Mississippi denied it. "If we had any such idea," he said, "we would have to create thousands—yes millions—of offices to give all the fellows jobs. I know from the experience I have in my district."

The high price of eggs revived the talk about doing something in regard to cold storage monopolies and it may be that an investigation will be started. Nothing has been done along this line since the death of Senator Heyburn of Idaho. Heyburn was called a "standpatter", and was known as the most uncompromising foe of everything looking like progressiveness in politics, but he did more for the pure food bill than any other Senator. In fact he was responsible for passing that measure. And he was going after the cold storage business when death overtook him.

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At the meeting of the State Grange, Patrons of Husbandry, in Providence Thursday afternoon Rufus W. Stimson of the Massachusetts board of education spoke on the Massachusetts plan of vocational agriculture, giving an outline of the work being done at the state college and citing individual cases in which the students had excelled in agricultural efforts. He mentioned the methods in use in some institutions and declared a course of agriculture calling for a few hours work a week of little use, giving a little of everything and not very much of anything. He deplored the fact that there are not more colleges teaching boys to be farmers. In closing he urged that farmers give their sons a part of the farm to work on their own account and teach them to be business men.

President Edwards of the Rhode Island college spoke of the work done there and contrasted its size and importance at the present time with the state of affairs 10 years ago, showing the growth of the institution to have been great.

Gratifying reports from masters of subordinate and Pomona Granges were received. These consistently gave news of increase in membership, the total gain during the year for the order in the state being about 200.

H. W. Tickham, a market gardener of Touisset and a prominent member of the Market Gardeners' Association, gave an address, and Isaac L. Sherman of Newport, who is the State Grange's member of the State Board of Agriculture, spoke on the work of that body for the year.

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AMERICAN IDEAS TAKEN BACK.

Stockholm Gymnasts Make Thorough Study of Our Methods.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—The team of 50 picked gymnasts of Stockholm's Gymnastic Society, who are just concluding an American tour, will carry abroad some more American ideas and methods pertaining to athletics. The visit of the Swedish, German and Austrian athletic envoys to this country during the past few months has brought to light more than ever before the importance which European athletes are attaching to American methods.

While Swedish gymnasts came here primarily to display their own physical perfection, they have made it a point to study all-round athletes here. Swedes who finished a close second to the United States in the Olympic games at Stockholm last year believe that with more specialization in athletics they will prove a greater factor than ever during the next Olympiad.

TO VIEW THE SACRAMENTO.

Sum Being Raised to Bring Wilson and Others to California.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Dec. 12.—The Sacramento Retail Merchants' Association voted last night to raise $15,000 to bring the President of the United States and at least 75 members of the Senate and House to California to view the Sacramento river and valley in the interest of a flood control project. A telegram was sent to V. S. McClatchy, president of the state reclamation board, who is now in New York, requesting him to present the invitation. The association agrees to provide a special train and to pay all the expenses of the trip.

TROY RESPONDS TO CALL.

Many Buildings and Manufacturing Plants in Cohoes Burned.

COHOES, N. Y., Dec. 12.—Fire which broke out in the heart of this city's business section early today was not subdued until a dozen buildings and manufacturing plants had been destroyed. The damage approximated $500,000. The fire started in the Parsons knitting mills at Factory and Remsen streets, and within two hours had swept a block west to the barge canal. Troy firemen responded to an appeal for help.

YOUNG NEW YORK GIRL KILLED BY A BOMB.

Package Delivered by Express Explodes on Being Opened.

Detectives Seek Sender of Machine to the O. K. Bottling Company.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—Ida Anusewitz, a girl of 18, employed as confidential bookkeeper by the O. K. Bottling Company at 528 West Thirty fifth street, was killed today by a bomb sent to her employer. Thomas McCabe, managing salesman, was cut in the head by flying metal, and Michael Ryan, an employe, standing outside the office, was injured by shattered glass. The desk on which the bomb was placed as Miss Anusewitz opened it was demolished and the office was wrecked.

The bomb was delivered by the driver of an express wagon. It lay unopened amid letters and other packages for an hour on the girl's desk, awaiting her arrival. She had cut the cord and removed the brown wrapping paper when the package exploded. Apparently it contained dynamite, as the force of the explosion was downward.

Who sent the bomb, and why, were questions that set half a hundred or more detectives at work on every possible clue. Placing together the ribbons of the brown paper covering they found that the sender attempted to print the name of the bottling company in black ink. In the upper left hand corner they found in writing the return address—23 State street, New York city. The building at this address is a large office building occupied chiefly by exporting firms, who employ a number of foreigners. Detectives believed the address to be fictitious, but set to work to interview every occupant of the building. Another squad of detectives sought for office of the express company which delivered the bomb.

The bureau of combustibles working on the mystery with the bits of metal found in the floor and walls announced that the missile was of a similar construction to the bomb sent to Judge Rulsky about two years ago.

William H. Callahan, proprietor of the bottling company, said that he had no enemies and denied statements by several of his employes that he recently discharged 30 workmen.

SENTENCED FOR CONSPIRACY.

County Engineer of Atlantic County Begins Term in New Jersey Prison.

TRENTON, N. J., Dec. 12.—County Engineer Estel D. Rightmire of Atlantic County entered the New Jersey state prison late yesterday to begin a sentence of one year for conspiracy to extort money from a contractor. Rightmire was indicted jointly with former Freeholder Unsworth and Enderlin. Both men have already entered upon their prison sentence of one year.

MONSOONS LOSE POINTS.

Whirlwinds Administer Defeat in Both Bowling and Basket Ball.

By losing in both basket ball and bowling in the Recreation League at the Young Men's Christian Association Thursday evening, the Monsoons' lead was so materially decreased that they are ahead of the Whirlwinds by a scant point and a half. The leaders lost to the Whirlwind team both times, while the Hurricanes and the Tornadoes each won an event. The final standing at present shows the Monsoons in the lead with 22½ points, the Whirlwinds next with 21, the Cyclones third with 15, the Tornadoes following with 12½, while the Hurricanes have at last broken into the scoring column and are last with 8 points.

The Whirlwinds administered a decisive defeat to the Monsoons in bowling, winning handily by a total of 697 to 351. The individual scores follow: Whirlwinds—Ajootian 81, Hazelgrove 73, Maycock 81, Robeson 75, Ottilige 76. For the Monsoons Tollefson rolled 74, Chase 67, Peterson 67, Campbell 78 and Underwood 65.

The Monsoons also lost to the Whirlwinds in basket ball, by the fairly close score of 24-18. It was not until the middle of the second half that the Whirlwinds showed their superiority, but once in the lead they held it, despite frequent rallies by the Monsoons. Ottilige starred for the losing team by registering seven goals. Tollefson for the Whirlwinds was high scorer, with ofur. Campbell and Oxx also played well. The line-up and summary:

Whirlwinds.	Monsoons.
Campbell, Peterson, r. f.	l. g., Holmes
Sullivan, l. f.	r. g., Flagg
Tollefson, c.	c., Robeson
Chase, Campbell, r. g.	l. f., Oxx
Wyllie, l. g.	r. f., Ottilige

Score—Whirlwinds 24, Monsoons 18. Goals from floor—Ottilidge 7; Tollefson 4, Robson 2, Sullivan 2, Peterson 3, Flagg. Goals from fouls—Oxx, Robson 3, Peterson, Sullivan. Referee—Slocum. Scorer—Simmons. Timer—Thomas. Time—15-minute halves.

The Hurricanes won their first match in the league when they defeated the Tornadoes in bowling, 393 to 356. The individual scores follow: Hurricanes—A. Eddy 89, C. Eddy 82, G. Thompson 60, Arnold 90, W. Thompson 72. Nolan rolled 77 for the Tornadoes, Carr 84, Babcock 75, Reynolds 75 and Sullivan 49.

The Tornadoes have shown the best class in basket ball so far, however, and had no difficulty in trimming the Hurricanes, 28-11. Their team work featured the contest, while the goal shooting of Nolan and Sullivan, the former first team forwards, was exceptionally good. These players tallied 22 of their team's points. Arnold at forward for the losers put up a sterling game. The line-up:

Tornadoes	Hurricanes
J. Nolan, r. f.	l. g., A. Thompson
Sullivan, l. f.	r. g., W. Thompson
Carr, c.	c., A. Eddy
Reynolds, r. g.	l. f., C Eddy
Babcock, l. g.	r. f., Arnold

Score—Tornadoes 28, Hurricanes 11. Goals from floor—Nolan 6, Sullivan 5, Carr 3, Arnold 3, A. Eddy, C. Eddy. Goal from foul—Arnold. Referee—Slocum. Scorer—Simmons. Timer—Thomas. Time—15-minute periods.

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NATION-WIDE APPEAL BEGUN.

Indianapolis Chamber of Commerce Seeks Income Tax Law Change.

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 12.—The Indianapolis Chamber of Commerce has started a movement for a nation-wide appeal to Congress to suspend or modify the provisions of the income tax law, providing deduction of the tax at the source, and the substitution of methods enabling the government to obtain at the source information for enforcing correct returns from tax payers. More than 1,600 letters containing a copy of a memorial recently adopted by the chamber were sent out to many cities yesterday advocating the change and soliciting co-operation.

The memorial declared that the law had been made unnecessarily obnoxious by unreasonable and impracticable requirements for deduction at the source, and the enforcement of its requirements "will have disastrous results to American securities, entailing losses which will probably run into the hundreds of millions of dollars through the demoralization of the foreign market for American bonds." The memorial further declares that the requirements for deduction at the source are impracticable; that the law is unjust and that it is bewildering in its complexities.

A special committee has been appointed by the chamber to make plans for obtaining concerted action on the part of the commercial organizations throughout the country.

LARGEST RECORD MADE.

Over 450,000,000 White Fish Eggs Taken from Lake Erie This Season.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—At a time when the scarcity of eggs is one of the chief topics of public concern, a report comes from the United States bureau of fisheries showing that already this season it has taken 450,000,000 white fish eggs in Lake Erie, by far the largest ever made. This represents 13,000 quarts of the tiny eggs.

Although the government hatching plant at Put-in-Bay, on Lake Erie, was built to take care only of 160,000,000 eggs, the bureau, by farming the eggs out among the various state hatcheries and among its own plants elsewhere, is taking care of this year's enormous catch. The supply of white fish had been diminishing so rapidly in Lake Erie, on account of the poor protection, the fish being under four different state and one Canadian province jurisdictions, that preparations were made this year to do as much as possible to replenish the supply. In other Great Lakes, also, large takes of white fish eggs are being reported, 170,000,000 having been taken to date this season in Lake Michigan. Efforts are to be made also to stock some of the northwestern lakes with white fish.

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FINANCIAL.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12, Wall Street—The market opened with Amalgamated Copper 70⅝, American Sugar Rfg. 102, Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe, 92⅞, Brooklyn Rapid Transit 86⅝, Canadian Pacific 223¾, Central Leather 24⅝, Louisville & Nashville 122¾, New York Central 92, Pennsylvania 107⅝, Reading 164, Southern Pacific 86⅞, Southern Railway 22⅝, Union Pacific 152½, United States Steel 56⅞, Western Union 60½, Westinghouse Electric 64½.

10:45—With the passing of the New Haven dividend now a matter of history, the stock market settled down once more to peaceful trading and normal price movements today. The leading speculative shares opened a shade higher, but heaviness developed in spots. New Haven began the day with a loss of ⅝. It made up its decline and then fell back to below the opening quotation. Canadian Pacific was again weak, losing nearly two points. Mexican Petroleum lost a point, but the preferred on a cash sale rose 6 points. The whole market eased off after half an hour's trading.

Noon—Renewed weakness of standard stocks today was a disappointment to the bulls, who had hoped for a rally after yesterday's abrupt decline of various shares. Traders found the market vulnerable when they began to sell, and gradually increased their offerings until there were losses of a point or so in some of the popular stocks. Reports of better tendencies in the steel and copper industries were without weakening influences on the industrial. The good effect of reduction of the German discount rate on the London exchange was not communicated to this market weakness developing in Canadian Pacific and other international favorites. Bonds were easy. Call money, easier, at 4½ per cent. Mercantile paper 5½ and 6. Exchanges, $277,098,963; balances, $16,186,286.

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Anaconda Mng.	34
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Chic. Mil. St. Paul	97½
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General Electric	157½
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Pennsylvania R. R.	109½
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CORONET COUNCIL, Royal Arcanum, Meeting Friday evening, 7:30 o'clock, Odd Fellows' Hall. Initiation. Election of officers. A. K. McMahon, Secretary.

WHERE TO GO TODAY AND TOMORROW.

Friday.

Rogers High School Hall—"Bul-Bul" by Rogers Glee Club.

Opera House—Feature Film, "The Queen's Jewels," and Other Motion Pictures.

Women's Exchange—Christmas Sale.

Aquidneck Cottage Industries—Christmas Sale.

Saturday.

Opera House—Feature Film, "The Queen's Jewels," and Other Motion Pictures.

Rogers High School Gymnasium—Basket Ball, Rogers vs. Taunton.

TWO WELL KNOWN CITIZENS.

Death of Daniel Morrison of the Boston Store and of Morris M. Curley.

The Former Long Connected with the Dry Goods and the Latter with the Drug Business.

Mr. Daniel Morrison, for many years a leading employe of the Boston Store, died suddenly shortly after 4 o'clock this morning at his home on Malbone road. He had suffered for a long time from asthma and for the past eight months had been confined to the house. A complication of diseases followed, and recently he had failed steadily. Thursday evening he gave no evidence of approaching death and several times during the night the nurse saw no change, until shortly after 4 o'clock, when it was discovered that he was dead.

The deceased was of Scotch descent and was born at Sydney Mines, Cape Breton, 51 years ago, and lived there until 27 years ago, when he came to Newport to enter the employ of Messrs. King & McLeod in the Boston Store. There he continued until his death, having for several years been at the head of the cloak department. He had been connected with the First Presbyterian Church in an official capacity 18 years, having been elected a deacon in 1895 and an elder in 1903. In the latter capacity he served until his death, having frequently represented the church in the Boston Presbytery, and the Presbytery in the last General Assembly, which met at Louisville, Ky., in 1912. He was treasurer of the session and also of the Presbyterian Brotherhood. He had been a member of the board of directors of the Young Men's Christian Association since 1895 and served on many important committees of that organization.

Mr. Morrison is survived by a widow and two sons, who are students in the Rogers High School.

Mr. Morris M. Curley, formerly engaged for many years in the druggist business in this city, died at his home on Rhode Island avenue Thursday afternoon, after a long illness. He had suffered from "a complication of diseases and sustained a slight stroke last summer, since which time he had failed steadily.

Born in Newport, a son of the late John and Catherine Curley, the deceased was a member of a well known family, his brothers having been Dr. Peter F. Curley, Dr. John P. Curley and Rev. William Curley, pastor of St. Peter and Paul's Church, Fall River. There were also three sisters, Mrs. John J. Rooney and Misses Catherine and Winnifred Curley.

Mr. Curley received his education in Newport and at an early age was employed as an errand boy in the People's drug store, where C. M. Cole is now located. He later was a clerk and assistant in the drug stores of Caswell & Hazard and Caswell, Massey & Co., and for a few years conducted a similar store of his own on the corner of Thames street and Washington square. He gave up business about two years ago, on account of poor health. He was of a quiet, retiring disposition, but made many friends throughout the community by his close attention to business and his pleasant and courteous bearing.

He is survived by a widow and a daughter.

OPERA HOUSE FEATURES.

"The Queen's Jewels" and "The Passer By" Full of Life and Action.

"The Queen's Jewels," the feature in the Opera House change, is a well staged picture, with scenes in a royal palace and outdoors. The actors do their parts with all the necessary skill, so that the picture has no weakness. The theme is taken from the well known story of Dumas's "Queen's Jewels." A prime minister tries to compromise the queen by preventing her from recovering the jewel miniature which she had given her lover of other days. The scenes are thrilling, particularly the automobile, motorcycle, aeroplane and numerous up-to-the-minute inventions used to thwart the plotters.

"The Passer-By," with Warren Kerrigan, another feature, relates the story of a feast about to take place, when it is discovered that there are 13 at the table. A servant is sent out to find another, and it happens to be the favorite, Warren Kerrigan, resulting in a pleasing plot.

"The Circuit Rider of the Hills," a frontier drama full of life and action; "That Awful Maid," a Crystal comedy, with Pearl White, and "When He Lost to Win," a comedy, make up the bill.

TALK OF HYBRIDIZATION OF PLANTS.

An illustrated talk under the auspices of the Garden Association and the Horticultural Society, was given Thursday evening in the Assembly hall of the Young Men's Christian Association by Professor Kost of the Bussey Institute of Harvard University. There was a large number present and the talk on "The Improvement of Plants by Hybridization" was of much interest to the audience, many of whom were gardeners and familiar with plant growing. It was illustrated by a large number of lantern slides, which added much to its value.

TABS EARN THEIR VICTORY.

Big Score Piled Up in Basket Ball Contest With St. Joseph's.

Passing of Winning Team Feature of the Game, Which Was Fast All the Way.

The final score did not indicate the true strength of the St. Joseph's team at the Father Mathew hall Thursday evening, when they were defeated by the Tabs, 30-7. The losers were weak on shooting, and in their first game of the season did not show successful team work. The Tabs back field, on the other hand, held down Carr and Williams, the St. Joseph's forwards, in an admirable manner, while their team work could scarcely be improved. They made the most of their opportunities for goals and deserved the victory.

Usually when these teams meet the rivalry is keen, and Thursday night was no exception to the rule, each having a large delegation of rooters who did not hesitate to cheer their loudest. It is true that the up-towners did not have much to applaud after the first few minutes of play, but each point scored by St. Joseph's set them to cheering as though their team had won the game. The Tab supporters outnumbered those of St Joseph's, and were not in the least backward in expressing their appreciation of their team's decisive victory.

To the Tabs' back field, with Horgan playing a star game, must go the credit for the St. Joseph's low figure, while the forwards and centre did practically all the scoring, Nolan leading with six goals. The passing of the winning team was one of the features of the game, which was fast all the way.

Loud cheers of encouragement greeted both teams as they came on the floor, and also just before the game After some hard playing the St Joseph's rooters let out a yell when Murphy scored the first goal. Their joy was short-lived, however, as McGrath soon tied, and then Nolan put the Tabs into a lead which was never overtaken. McCarthy took his turn at scoring after the up-town team had missed several rather easy tries, and on the next shot McGrath scored the most sensational goal of the game, a long shot from the side.

The Tabs seemed determined to pile up as big a score as possible, and matters looked gloomy indeed for St. Joseph's when McCarthy scored on a foul try, following it with another goal from the floor, before Carr again scored for his team, bringing the count to 11-4. McGrath and Nolan added two more goals for the Father Mathews before Williams ended the scoring for the St. Joseph's in the first half by making good on a foul try. Nolan dropped in another goal just before the whistle blew, making the score 17-5 for the half, with St. Joseph's on the short end.

Probably lack of condition caused the St. Joseph's team to slow up in the second half, as they scored but one goal during the entire 20 minutes of play, Carr tallying on an easy try. The "Saints" played a defensive game mostly, but the speed which the Father Mathews displayed was not to be denied, and goal after goal was scored despite the St. Joseph's desperate attempts to check their apparent defeat.

In this half the Tabs scored nine points before Carr made the only goal for St. Joseph's, and before the period ended Horgan ad Nolan each tallied another. The score for this half was 13-2 in the Tabs' favor.

Nolan's steady playing enabled him to score six goals, while McGrath ran him a close second with five. Two of McGrath's shots were spectacular, Horgan's work at back also figured conspicuously in the victory. For St. Joseph's Williams played the best game. He was all around the floor, apparently never tiring, and setting an example to his team by his efforts. Two goals made Carr the leading scorer for his team.

The line-up and summary:

Father Mathew.	St. Joseph's.
McCarthy, r. f.	l. g., Kenney
Nolan, l. f.	r. g., Murphy
McGrath, c.	c., O'Connell
Horgan, l. g.	r. f., Carr
Halley, r. g.	l. f., Williams

Score—Father Mathew 30, St Joseph's 7. Goals from floor—Nolan 6, McGrath 5, McCarthy 2, Horgan; Carr 2, Murphy. Goals from fouls—McCarthy, Horgan; Williams. Referee—Kirwin. Scorer—John L. Moore. Timer—Fitzgerald. Time—20-minute halves.

TAUNTON FIVE TO PLAY.

Rogers Basket Ball Team Well Up in Shooting and Signal Practice.

Manager William G. Sweeney of the Rogers basket ball team has secured the Taunton five for Saturday evening at the high school gymnasium. Taunton always has one of the strongest teams Rogers is called upon to face during the year, and as the local school team has not worked in a regular game together the play should be close and interesting from the opening whistle.

Under the direction of Coach Harvey Thursday evening the team was given its best practice thus far this year. Shooting occupied a half-hour, followed by a short scrimmage which was fast, all the players showing mid-season form. Then the team went through signal practice, which was thorough, until all had thoroughly mastered the many different plays.

R. H. Pearson was Thursday appointed assistant manager. He is in the class of 1915 and has always shown a desire to help the athletic teams, by selling tickets, a task which most boys shirk.

SUCCESS OF THE CENACLE SALE.

The sale of fancy articles at the Convent of the Cenacle during the day and evening Thursday was a success far greater than any one anticipated. There was a steady stream of patrons all day many coming before the sale was really opened and one table disposed of $25 worth of goods in advance. During the afternoon Rev. Father Higney of St. Joseph's Church was a visitor and made purchases at each of the tables. The proceeds, $217, will be devoted to the fund for the new buildings. An energetic committee of women was in charge and the members devoted the entire day to the work.

HOUSEBOAT BILL APPROVED.

Aldermen Vote to Thank Tiverton Town Council for Check for Firemen.

Discuss Plans for New Police Station and Receive Claims for Steam Roller Damages.

The Board of Aldermen held the weekly meeting Thursday evening, when the bill for Chief Kirwin's runabout was approved and ordered paid. The mayor reported the receipt of the letter and check from Tiverton on account of the aid from Newport for the fire of December 4, and read his reply thereto. The check was ordered turned over to the Firemen's Relief fund and the board voted to thank the town of Tiverton for its generous recognition of the work of the Newport firemen. The city solicitor reported that the title to the police station site was approved and the deeds would be presented. The matter of plans was discussed; also that of preparing business for the Representative Council. The steam roller again "ran away," this time hitting the city with two claims for damages, one from Mrs. Leonard for $636.75 and the other from David T. Leonard for $1,129.19. The board will give a hearing on the claims, but will find out something about what happened before the hearing takes place. Mayor MacLeod presided and all but Alderman Albro were present.

The regular pay rolls were approved for the following sums: Streets and highways, $664.56; police, $1,042.68; fire department, $547.24; city officers, $279.27; firemen in theatres, $36. The bill of the Newport Engineering Works, for one Overland runabout for the chief engineer, $900, was also approved.

An application for transfer of eating house license from On Fat Low to Lou Chin was referred to Alderman Hughes. The application of Benjamin Fifferman for a license to peddle raincoats was laid on the table, the board having an idea that there are plenty of stores selling raincoats. George Evangelos was given a renewal of four pool table licenses. Harris Sperling was granted a junk gatherer's license.

The petition of Gustave Anderson and others, to have Hall avenue between Evarts street and Sheffield avenue macadamized, was referred to the street commissioner to prepare an estimate of cost.

The mayor brought up the contract with Nefler & Hatlub for the ashes collection and said it provided that five per cent of the price should be retained until the end of the contract. This he believed a mistake, for in looking at the old contract it was specified that five per cent of the price should be retained until the end of the year. If five per cent were retained for the time of the contract, five years, it would mean a large amount, as for this year $347.93 had been retained. He thought it would be fair to interpret the contract as meaning that the five per cent should be retained until the end of the year only.

Mr. Kirby asked why any should be retained and the mayor said it was an additional precaution, so that in case the contractor fails to do the work the city would have money due him with which to hire help. It was an additional precaution to the bond. He suggested that the bondsmen should be consulted, as they should give consent to any variation in the contract. The matter was referred to the city solicitor.

A claim of damages was received from David T. Leonard, on account of the runaway of the steam roller October 15. He enumerated as follows: Loss of earning, $13; rent for tenement rendered untenable, $7.19; cost of another tenement, $6; medicine, 49; pain and suffering, $200; doctor and medicine for wife, $95; loss of services of his wife, $500; other expenses, $300; total, $1,129.19. From Mrs. Emma Leonard was received another claim, for personal injuries, suffering, etc., $500; doctor and medicine, $95; personal property destroyed, $41.75; total, $636.75.

Alderman Hughes said the board had no money for such claims, but he believed it should look into the matter in order to be able to report to the Council, and he suggested a hearing. The mayor proposed that the board have an inquiry made for itself, independent of and before the hearing, and the matter was referred to the street commissioner and the city solicitor, to report Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. There will be a hearing on the claim for damages made by James C. Elliott at 7:30 the same evening.

The mayor reported that he had received a letter from the Tiverton town council, expressing the gratitude felt toward the Newport fire department for the aid rendered in the fire December 4, and enclosing a check for $100 for the Firemen's Relief Fund in recognition of this work. He had written to the town council, acknowledging the receipt of the later and check and expressing his gratification that the firemen had been of use and that their services were appreciated, and also for the substantial recognition by the town. He further said the town officials felt offended at some newspaper criticism which had appeared in regard to the check being slow in reaching Newport. This he had learned from a telephone communication with President Waring. He suggested that the board give a vote of thanks to the town for its generosity in sending the check. This, on motion of Alderman Hughes, was done and the city clerk will send the vote. The mayor was authorized to endorse the check to the treasurer of the Firemen's Relief Fund.

The City Solicitor reported that title to the site for the new police station had proved satisfactory and Mr. Sheffield's office would send in the deeds. In relation to plans for the new building, the mayor said he had received the conditions prepared by the American Institute of Architects for competitions for plans, and suggested that the members of the board look them over, to see what would apply in this case. In view of the fact that the board must refer plans to the Council, some of the conditions do not fit the situation. The plan contemplates a referee, who should prepare a rough draft of what is needed, so that all competitors would know just what to plan for; it also provides for prizes for the best plans.

There was talk about the next meetings and it seemed to be settled that the board would meet next Thursday as usual and on Tuesday, the twenty third, and Saturday the twenty seventh.

The mayor spoke about going over business for the Council and suggested that the members be prepared at the next meeting to bring up all business they can in order to have it out of the way. The city clerk suggested that the seven days limit for filing new business would not interfere with what the board proposes to bring to the attention of the Council.

The mayor said he understood that the matter of a quarry site would be presented to the Council by the owners of the site offered early in the year.

The board adjourned though the members seemed reluctant to separate, as it was still early.

THREE SCHOOL PAPERS.

Senior Middle Class at Rogers to Issue a Christmas Number.

The Senior Middle class at the Rogers High School is to issue three school papers for a Christmas number, the editors in chief and assistant editors being appointed by Miss Lucy Brownell, the third year English teacher. The object is for the pupils to gain a practical experience in newspaper work, and also to give them practice in English. The news in each paper will come from contributions from members of the class, and naturally there is great rivalry.

George Dennison is editor-in-chief of one paper, with Elijah Anthony as asociate editor and Michael Pinto as chief cartoonist. Miss Nettie Wilsker is also an editor on this paper.

William Fraser has been appointed editor-in-chief on another paper and has for assistants Miss Elizabeth Hoyle, Floyd Peckham and Harold Austin.

The third paper has Robert Lear in comand, with Miss Mary Holland, Edward Dennis and Lloyd Peckham as associate editors.

Michael Pinto promises to have some good cartoons, a portrayal of the late Rogers-Alumni game being one of them. The various editors are already busy collecting news, and if the Christmas issue proves a marked success there is a possibility that a school paper will be formed from the three.

FUNERAL OF MRS. DAILEY.

The funeral of Margaret A., widow of John Dailey, took place this morning from her residenre on Annadale road to St. Mary's Church, where a solemn high mass of requiem was said, Rev. Father Meenan being the celebrant, Rev. Father Tierney, deacon, Rev. Father Hines sub-deacon and Rev. Father Ryan master of ceremonies. Mrs. Dailey was one of the oldest parishioners of St. Mary's Church and a very large number of friends attended the services, there being many handsome floral tributes. The interment was in the St. Mary's cemetery, the bearers being Messrs. Hugh Finnigan, Michael Cripps, William F. Wilkey, Alexander R. O'Hanley, Andrew Gillies and Thomas Maguire.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

Division No 1, Ancient Order of Hibernians, has elected the following officers for the ensuing term:

President—John J. Kelly.
Vice President—William J. Blake.
Recording Secretary—John W. Blake.
Financial Secretary—Daniel D. Shea.
Teasurer—Michael F. Kelly.
Chaplain—Rev. William B. Meenan.

Thursday evening Canonchet Lodge, No. 2139, C. U. O. O. F., elected the following officers:

Noble Grand—Robert W. Beckwith.
Vice Grand—Charles E. Minot.
Past Noble Grand—Powhattan Parker.
Noble Father—George T. Gaines.
Past Noble Father—Gregory T. Silvia.
Permanent Secretary—Edward O. Jackson.
Elected Secretary—Ashley Jenkins.
Chaplain—James O. Banks.
Adviser—Clark C. Brown.
Marshal—Samuel H. Norris.
Color Bearer—James Kilby.
Warden—Albert Adams.
Inner Guard—William M. Mitchell.
R. S. to N. G.—James A. Richardson.
L. S. to N. G.—Clark T. Brown.
R. S. to V. G.—James H. Burney.
L. S. to V. G.—Lee R. Carter.
Degree Lecturers—Benjamin A. Williams, Frank P. Wright.
Trustees—Armstead Hurley, Nathan T. Jackson, Thomas Mathews, F. F. Wright, Marcus C. Andrews.

The Ladies' Auxiliary to Division No 1, Ancient Order of Hibernians, Thursday evening elected the following officers for the ensuing year:

President—Mrs. Margaret Turpin.
Vice President—Miss Margaret Sheehan.
Recording Secretary—Miss Bridget M. Dennehy.
Financial Secretary—Miss Minnie Dennehy.
Treasurer—Mrs. B. A. Wilson.
Mistress-at-Arms—Miss Margaret Kilby.
Sentinel—Miss Hannah Sheehan.
Chairman of Standing Committee—Miss Bridget Sullivan.

Owens Council, No 621, Independent Order of St Luke, elected the following:

Worthy Chief—Mrs. Elizabeth Williams.
Vice Chief—Mrs. Louisa Stevens.
Recording Secretary—C. Henry Allen
Financial Secretary—Mrs. Amanda Torrence.
Senior Conductor—Miss Ruth Anderson.
Junior Conductor—Miss Julia Pines.
Treasurer—Mrs. Mary Jackson.
Chaplain—Abram Hardy.
Worthy Mother—Mrs. Rosa Burns.
Keeper of Wardrobe—Mrs. Sallie Anderson.
Inside Sentinel—Miss Sarah Diggs.
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Council Advocate—Mrs. Amanda Torrence.

COAL
In all sizes.
WOOD
For open fires
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THE CHRISTMAS RUSH

For Koschny's confections has been fully anticipated, and we are prepared to supply all demands made for confections. Call and see what we have in specially decorated baskets, boxes, etc., making most beautiful Christmas and Holiday Gifts.

SIMON KOSCHNY,
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230 Thames St. Branch—16 Broadway.

CENTURY STORE ROBBED.

Entered During the Night and About $200 Worth of Goods Taken.

Thieves Ransacked the Christmas Articles and Confined Themselves to These.

As the proprietors of the Century Store discovered this morning, the exhortation to "do your Chistmas shopping early" may be misapplied. When the establishment was opened this morning it was readily discovered that some one had been in the store after it was closed at night and had done considerable "shopping" in the cases where Christmas goods were displayed.

Officer Coggeshall was outside on the sidewalk, waiting to be told that something had happened, because in his early rounds he had seen that the small windows in the rear of the store had been tampered with. Entrance had evidently been effected though a small window, in which three panes of glass had been broken, allowing the manipulation of the rod controlling the sash. Probably a small person then entered this sash and smoved the catch of a larger window, adjoining. These windows are in the rear of the building on the west side and the north corner, and out of sight of any on Thames street, as the shop runs well down toward the water.

Inside, it was found that the cases containing Christmas gifts had been ransacked and considerable material removed. Apparently the regular goods had not been disturbed, and whoever did the job must have had a knowledge of what was there before entering.

The goods taken aggregate about $200 in value and so far as could be ascertained this morning, include the following articles: 15 ladies' chatelaine watches with chatelaine and pin attached, the watches being of about the size of a silver 25-cent piece, of silver and gun metal, red and blue enamel and of Swiss, Tess and Angele make; two sets of silver-back military brushes, one set black-back military brushes, two comb and brush sets, sterling; four large mesh bags, German silver; four small mesh bags, gun metal; six nail buffers, silver; six neck chains, six aluminum barrettes, four bottles R. & G. perfume, two jet brooches, one with spaniel and one with crown design, and a box containing 100 pairs assorted sizes scissors.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE

Mortgagee's Sale.

BY VIRTUE of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed made by John Corbett and Johanna Corbett, his wife, in her right, to the Savings Bank of Newport, dated August 27th, A. D. 1895 and recorded in Volume 31 at pages 78 and 79 of the Mortgages Land Evidence of the City of Newport in the State of Rhode Island, breach of the condition of said mortgage having been made and still existing; the said Mortgagee will sell at public auction on Stockholm Street in front of the land hereinafter described on **Monday, the 5th day of January, A. D. 1914,** at 12 o'clock, noon, all the right, title and interest which said John Corbett and Johanna Corbett had at the time of the execution of said mortgage and did by said mortgage convey in or to that parcel of land, with buildings and improvements thereon, situate in said City of Newport, and bounded: Northerly on Stockholm Street thirty five feet; Easterly on land of Patrick E. Sullivan and wife sixty eight feet; Southerly on land of Thomas Dowd and land of Bridget Finn thirty five feet; and Westerly on land of James H. Nelson and wife sixty eight feet, said premises being all that was granted by said mortgage deed, which deed is hereby made part hereof.

And the said Mortgagee hereby gives notice that it intends to bid for said property at said sale thereof.

THE SAVINGS BANK OF NEWPORT,
By Grant P. Taylor, Treas.

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Autumn and Winter Woolens
Now ready for inspection.
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Ladies' Suits from $25.00 up.
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A CHRISTMAS GIFT
Berkshire Upright Piano
$250.
Made and guaranteed by the Jewett Piano Co.
Special Christmas Terms.
This piano will be delivered on payment of
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For Every Man, Woman or Child

A book exists somewhere of some kind, which they would like to own if they knew about it. Isn't this your opportunity? Books are best for Christmas gifts.

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We ask you to consider our diamonds because we can save you money. See our **DIAMOND RINGS** from $10 to $100.

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2757

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